

# Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

of

## **HINSDALE**

NEW HAMPSHIRE

*for the year ending*

DECEMBER 31

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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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### **Moderator**

CLARENCE D. FAY

### **Selectmen and Assessors**

CLIFFORD STEARNS,	Term expires 1945
ROY D. TAYLOR,	Term expires 1946
JAMES G. SNOW,	Term expires 1947

### **Town Clerk**

ELEANOR S. SMITH

### **Town Treasurer**

GEORGE E. ROBERTSON

### **Collector of Taxes**

GEORGE H. JONES

### **Highway Agent**

WALTER H. BARRETT

### **Water and Sewer Commissioners**

ROBERT A. WEEKS,	Term expires 1945
WILLIAM S. KIMBALL,	Term expires 1946
HOWARD I. STREETER,	Term expires 1947

### **Supervisors of Check List**

RAY L. FLETCHER	WILLIAM E. WATSON
ROBERT CUNNINGHAM	

### **Overseer of Charities**

HOWARD I. STREETER

### **Representative**

ABBIE H. ROBERTSON

### **Board of Education**

HAROLD WEEKS,	Term expires 1945
MARGARET STREETER,	Term expires 1946
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,	Term expires 1947

**Auditors**

CHESTER LEES

MARION WELCH

**Chief of Fire Department**

CLARENCE D. FAY

**Municipal Court**

JESSE W. FIELD, Justice

HAROLD R. WEEKS, Special Justice

**Health Officer**

HOWARD I. STREETER

**Forest Fire Warden**

CLARENCE D. FAY

**Deputy Wardens**

PETER ZAVOROTNY

WINFIELD BROOKS

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS

JOSEPH DOUCETTE

**Police**

FRANK W. WALKER, Chief

CHARLES N. BLOSSOM

**Special Police**

CHARLES ROY

RAYMOND C. HILDRETH

C. EDWARD MAYNARD

HARVEY LAVASSEUR

WILLIAM BOOTH

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

RAY L. FLETCHER,

Term expires 1945

ROBERT A. WEEKS,

Term expires 1946

MAUD TAYLOR,

Term expires 1947

**Library Trustees**

DORRIS GARFIELD,

Term expires 1945

ERNEST ADAMS,

Term expires 1946

SUSAN HOLLAND,

Term expires 1947

**Budget Committee**

HAROLD C. HOLLAND

ROBERT A. WEEKS

HAROLD S. GARFIELD

ALBERT KRUMENAKER

FRANK W. JEFFORDS

**Surveyor of Wood and Lumber**

GLENN HIGGINS



**Fence Viewers**

ARTHUR ROUILLARD

HERBERT NEWELL

**Truant Officer**

FRANK WALKER

**Sexton**

ROY D. TAYLOR

**Constable and Deputy Sheriff**

FRANK WALKER

**Playground Committee**

LUCIAN LERANDEAU

ROLAND O'NEAL

HAROLD HOLLAND

HOWARD STREETER

FRANK YOUNG

ORSON SMITH

DANIEL P. WELCH

**Planning Board**

PRENTISS W. TAYLOR

CLARENCE B. O'NEAL

FRANK W. JEFFORDS

HAROLD C. HOLLAND

ORSON G. SMITH

**Community Room Committee**

MRS. CLARENCE O'NEAL

MRS. WILLIAM POWERS

MRS. THOMAS GOLDEN

**War Service Records**

MRS. HAROLD S. GARFIELD

WILLIAM H. BOOTH

JAMES G. SNOW

## MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE FROM HINSDALE, N. H.

Key: A—Army; N—Navy; M—Marines MM—Merchant Marines; AAF—Army Air Force; NAC—Naval Air Corps; ANC—Army Nursing Corps; C. N.—Cadet Nurse; WAC—Women's Army Corps; WAVES—Women's Navy Corps; C. G.—Coast Guard.

\*Missing in action.

§Prisoner of war.

‡Killed in action.

\*\*Discharged honorably.

Adams, Warren E. (A)  
 Amidon, Hayden (N)  
 Anderson, William (A)  
 Bailey, Earl (A)  
 Barrett, Warren (A)  
 Barrett, Winston (N)  
 Bennett, Donald (N)  
 Bennett, Edward (N)  
 Beruk, Raymond (M)  
 Beruk, Theodore (A)  
 Bessette, Charles, Jr. (N)  
 Bessette, Raymond (A)  
 Bessette, Russell (A)  
 Biley, Andrew (A)  
 Blodgett, Frank (A)  
 Blouin, Napoleon (N)  
 Bogumiloff, Julius (A)  
 Bokum, John (M)  
 Bokum, Leo (N)  
 Bokum, Peter (A)  
 Bokum, Raymond (A)  
 Bolden, Michael (A)  
 §Bombay, Anthony (A)  
 Bombay, Leo (A)  
 Bombay, Peter (AAF)  
 Bonnett, Frank (A)  
 \*\*Bonnett, John (A)  
 Bordner, Frank (AAF)  
 \*Bordner, Stanley  
 Bojko, Michael (AAF)  
 Bojko, Raymond (A)  
 Boyle, Charles (N)  
 Britton, Paul (A)  
 Brooks, Walter (A)  
 Brown, Frank A. (N)  
 Buraczynski, Theodore (AAF)  
 \*\*Buraczynski, William (A)  
 Burdo, Alton (N)  
 Bushey, Arthur (N)

Bushey, William (A)  
 Butler, Perley (N)  
 Butler, Robert (AAF)  
 Butynski, William (N)  
 Carpenter, Edward (A)  
 Carpenter, Doris (C. N.)  
 Carpenter, Paul (A)  
 Chamberlin, Paul (N)  
 Cherwa, Anthony (N)  
 Cherwa, Frank (A)  
 Cherwa, Louis J. (N)  
 Cherwa, Stanley (A)  
 Clough, Walter E., Jr. (A)  
 Collis, Louis J. (A)  
 Colson, Kenneth K. (A)  
 Cook, William, Jr. (A)  
 Coons, Morton (M)  
 Cooper, Oscar H. (A)  
 Dearborn, W. Bennett (N)  
 Delano, Lawrence N. (A)  
 Delano, Phillip C. (AAF)  
 Delano, Robert F. (N)  
 Deyo, Edward (N)  
 Dodge, Kenneth (N)  
 Doucette, John (M)  
 Dubriske, Walter L. (AAF)  
 Duggan, David (A)  
 Duggan, Jeannette M. (C. N.)  
 Duggan, Paul E. (A)  
 Duggan Robert (A)  
 Duggan, Roland (AAF)  
 Ebbighausen, Robert (N)  
 Emmons, Charles H. (N)  
 Emmons, Floyd C. (N)  
 Fales, Kenneth (AAF)  
 \*\*Farnham, Ida (WAVES)  
 Farnham, Mary (C. N.)  
 Farnham, Richard (A)  
 Felski, Paul (AAF)



- Felski, Rudolph (A)  
 Field, Donald (A)  
 Field, Everett (A)  
 Fowler, Donald (A)  
 Fowler, Melvin (N)  
 Gamache, Henry (A)  
 Gamash, Clayton (A)  
 Gamash, Frederick Walter (A)  
 Gamash, Raymond (M)  
 Garfield, Russell (AAF)  
 Gaul, George (AAF)  
 Glover, Lloyd (A)  
 Golden, Francis (M)  
 Golden, Teresa (WAC)  
 Golden, Thomas (A)  
 Graham, Donald B. (N)  
 Gratton, Armand (A)  
 Gratton, Leo J. (A)  
 Griffin, Martin (AAF)  
 Harris, Charles W. Jr. (N)  
 Hastings, Clayton (A)  
 Hastings, Clifford (A)  
 Hastings, George N. Jr. (A)  
 Heath, Lester (A)  
 Higgins, Kenneth (CG)  
 Higgins, Harris (M)  
 Hilliard, Fred (A)  
 Hildreth, John (A)  
 Hood, Albert (AAF)  
 Howe, Clarence (M)  
 \*\*Howe, Harold (A)  
 Howe, Marcellus (N)  
 \*\*Hudson, Robert  
 Jaquith, Morton (A)  
 Jasienowski, John (N)  
 Jasienowski, Joseph (A)  
 Jasienowski, Michael (A)  
 Jasienowski, Roger (N)  
 \*\*Jasienowski, Roger (A)  
 Jauire, Henry (N)  
 Johnson, Lorna Streeter (WA)  
 Johnson, Richard S. (AAF)  
 Jones, James (A)  
 Kendrick, George (C. G.)  
 Kerylow, John (A)  
 Kerylow, John (A)  
 Kerylow, Joseph (A)  
 \*\*Kerylow, Peter (A)  
 Kirkwood, Sam Frederick (A)  
 Kmet, Michael (A)  
 Kolnacki, Frank (A)  
 Kolnacki, Joseph (A)  
 \*\*Kolodziej, Steve  
 Kopczynski, Edward (N)  
 Kosnoski, Charles (A)  
 Kosnoski, George (A)  
 \*\*Kosnoski, John (A)  
 Kowal, Edward (N)  
 Kowal, Walter (M)  
 Kozyra, Peter (M)  
 Krumenaker, Albert (C. G.)  
 LaBerge, Charles (A)  
 LaChance, Daniel (A)  
 LaChance, Ralph (MM)  
 Langille, Phillip G. (N)  
 Lapointe, Cecilia (C. N.)  
 Latham, Neil (MM)  
 Latham, Fred (A)  
 Lucier, Robert (A)  
 McAuliffe, John Richard (MM)  
 McCormick, Edward J. (A)  
 McCormick, Owen N. (A)  
 Martell, Joseph, Jr. (A)  
 Martell, Reginald (N)  
 Meany, John M. (A)  
 Merrifield, Cecil (A)  
 Merritt, Roy L. (A)  
 Miner, Amos L. (M)  
 \*\*Morse, Harold (A)  
 \*\*Mosher, Arthur (A)  
 O'Connor, Bernard E. (N)  
 O'Connor, Gerald (N)  
 O'Neal, Russell E. (AAF)  
 Oski, Alec (A)  
 Oski, William (N)  
 Ouellette, William (A)  
 Packard, Carl (N)  
 Packard, Philander (N)  
 Paduchak, Alexander (A)  
 Paduchak, Andrew (A)  
 Paduczak, Andrew (N)  
 Patuszeuski, Edward (AAF)  
 Perham, Donald  
 Podmore, Bernard F. (A)  
 Podmore, George (A)  
 Podmore, Harold E. (A)  
 Powers, Helen (ANC)  
 Powers, John (A)  
 Powers, William (AAF)  
 Principe, Joseph (M)  
 Rice, Arthur W. (N)  
 Richmond, Carl (AAF)  
 Roberts, Arthur, Jr. (N)  
 Roder, George (AAF)  
 §Ross, James (AAF)  
 Rouillard, Calvin (AAF)  
 Rouillard, Carleton R. (A)  
 Rouillard, Channing (NAC)  
 Royce, Dexter (A)  
 Royce, Howard (A)  
 Rubeor, Arthur L. (N)  
 Sadowski, Anthony J. (AAF)  
 Saikoski, Walter (N)  
 Schlattner, Frederick (A)

Seredynski, Frank (A)	Vanasse, Emerson (A)
Seredynski, John (N)	Varno, Clair (A)
†Seredynski, Joseph (A)	Veber, Ina (WAC)
Sikoski, John (M)	Walker, Raymond (AAF)
Sikoski, Leo (N)	Wallace, Keith (M)
Sikoski, Paul J. (A)	Wasyluk, Peter (AAF)
Sikoski, Peter (M)	Waterman, Chester (N)
Sikoski, Walter J.	Waters, Edward J. (A)
Slicer, George F. (AAF)	Weeks, Elmer (M)
Smith, Richard I. (A)	Wheeler, Clarence H. (A)
*Smith, Samuel (A)	Wheeler, Wilford (N)
Stanclift, Edwin (A)	White, Donald (MM)
**Stanclift, Walter (A)	White, Rolph B., Jr. (MM)
Starkey, William J. (N)	White, William B. (MM)
*Stetson, Richard N. (A)	**Williams, Earl L. (N)
Stewart, Percy C. (AAF)	Wilson, Cecil (A)
Streeter, Russell H. (AAF)	Worden, Homer (A)
**Slater, Fremont (A)	Worden, John C. (A)
Tarney, Lucille V. (ANC)	Zaiko, Henry (A)
**Townsend, Gordon (A)	

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## IN MEMORIAM

Ezra Bowers Pike

Born November 4th, 1860, Died March 16th, 1944

This death removes a man who was in all public functions, a foremost citizen of Hinsdale.

He served as selectman in 1900, 1911, 1912 and 1913 and was again elected in 1920 and served until failing health necessitated his resignation in 1944. This duty he accepted cheerfully and performed well.

He was a town representative to the New Hampshire Legislature in 1909, a past deputy of the State Grange and a member of the National organization.

In his constant activity and devotion to his public work we have lost a true friend and wise counselor.

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## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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### TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall, on Tuesday the 13th day of March, 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen, Auditors and other town officers.

Article 3. To choose 2 members of the Board of Selectmen, 1 for one year and 1 for three years.

Article 4. To choose two members of the board of Library Trustees, one for 2 years and one for 3 years.

Article 5. To choose five members of the Budget committee for the ensuing year.

Article 6. To choose five members of the Recreation Commission, 2 for three years, 2 for two years, and 1 for one year.

Article 7. To choose a member of the Water and Sewer Commission for the ensuing three years.

Article 8. To choose all other necessary town officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Article 9. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the payment of ordinary town charges, for support of the poor, the maintenance of the fire department, for lighting the streets and for all other necessary expenses arising within the town.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$388.05 to which the State will contribute \$1,552.21 to be expended on Class 5 roads.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for eradication of the White Pine Blister rust, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$337.00 (1/100th of 1% of the valuation) to the Monadnock Region Association of Southern New Hampshire for issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, in co-operation with the other thirty-seven towns of the Monadnock Region, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to appoint an aviation committee of three, to investigate the possibility and feasibility of an airfield for the Town of Hinsdale and to make a report at the next town meeting.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars for the purpose of purchasing the G. A. R. Hall and erect therein a suitable memorial tablet to the Civil War Veterans and make necessary repairs to the building, or act in any manner thereon.

Article 15. To see if the town will grant permission to maintain said road from Mr. MacDonald's to Mr. Rouillard's as an accepted highway; and to plow an accepted highway; where two or more families live for a payment of a reasonable charge by the recipient.

Article 16. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal in said Hinsdale, the 24th day of February, 1945.

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS.

ROY D. TAYLOR.

JAMES G. SNOW,

Selectmen of Hinsdale.

A true copy of warrant: Attest:

CLIFFORD D. STEARNS,

ROY D. TAYLOR,

JAMES G. SNOW,

Selectmen of Hinsdale.



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### Inventory

The selectmen of the town submit the following report of the financial affairs of the town for the fiscal year ending December 31st., 1944.

The valuation of the town as appraised April 1st., 1944 was as follows:

Electric plants, water power, etc.,	\$2,111,300 00
Lands and buildings,	881,450 00
Growing wood and timber,	14,900 00
42 horses,	4,780 00
4 oxen,	400 00
281 cows,	13,980 00
48 neat stock,	1,670 00
13 sheep,	65 00
10 hogs,	250 00
Fowls,	650 00
27 tractors,	6,600 00
1 portable mill,	300 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks,	1,790 00
Stock in trade,	91,350 00
Mills and machinery,	241,500 00
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	\$3,370,985 00
931 polls @ \$2.00,	1,862 00
Exempt to soldiers,	25,050 00
Tax rate,	\$2 22
Poll tax,	2 00
Special poll tax,	3 00

Population, 1940 census, 1,762.

**Assets**

1944 taxes estimated collectable,	\$2,700 27
Cash on hand,	17,400 73
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	\$20,101 00

**Liabilities**

Due Board of Education,	\$16,695 00
Due on Sewer Bonds,	22,000 00
Due on Water Bonds,	54,000 00
Due on Glen St. Water notes,	7,500 00

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\$100,195 00

Less assets,	20,101 00
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Net debt of town,	\$80,094 00
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Total appropriation,	\$85,146 55
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## Less estimated revenue and credits:

Interest and dividend tax,	\$1,342 60
Railroad tax,	900 00
Savings bank tax,	500 00
Motor vehicle permit fees,	1,300 00
Water department,	2,500 00
Rent of town hall,	50 00
Interest on taxes,	100 00
Municipal court,	10 00
Business licenses,	10 00
Reimbursement of federal lands,	15 00
Cash surplus,	3,969 58

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10,697 18

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\$74,449 37

Plus overlay,	2,278 50
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Net amount to be raised by taxation,	\$76,727 87
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Less poll taxes,	\$1,862 00	
National bank tax,	30 00	
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		1,892 00
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Amount tax rate figured on,		\$74,835 87
Plus 931 polls,		1,862 00
National bank stock tax,		30 00
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		\$76,727 87
Special poll tax,		2,913 00
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Total taxes committed to collector,		\$79,640 87

### Appropriations

Town officers' salaries,	\$2,500 00
Town officers' expenses,	100 00
Election and registration,	275 00
Municipal court,	100 00
Town hall,	2,400 00
Police department,	1,200 00
Fire department,	3,500 00
Ordinary town charges,	700 00
Health department,	60 00
Public health nursing,	1,650 00
Vital statistics,	50 00
Public dump,	50 00
Town highway maintenance,	4,500 00
Town road aid,	193 80
Town snow removal and sanding, incl. sidewalks,	2,000 00
Town road oiling,	2,000 00
Town construction, Art. 13,	500 00
Street lighting,	2,200 00
Aid to soldier's families,	100 00
Library,	1,500 00
Old age assistance,	1,500 00
Town poor,	400 00
Memorial Day,	150 00

Parks and playgrounds,	600 00
Cemeteries,	400 00
Damage and legal expenses,	100 00
Interest,	2,770 64
Payments on principal of debt,	11,000 00
County tax,	7,752 11
Schools,	34,695 00
Records of soldiers,	200 00
Total appropriations,	\$85,146 55

### Summary of Payments

Ordinary town charges,	\$604 80
Town officers' salaries,	2,500 00
Town officers' expenses,	339 74
Election and registration,	338 50
Municipal court,	105 40
Town hall,	2,228 49
Police department,	1,065 91
Fire department,	3,306 76
Public health nurse,	1,512 50
Health department,	50 00
Vital Statistics,	38 50
Street lighting,	2,017 50
Town highway maintenance,	4,606 87
Snow removal, roads and sidewalks,	2,277 54
Town road aid,	193 80
Town highway oiling,	2,055 19
Library,	1,500 00
Town poor,	186 91
Old age assistance,	1,640 86
Memorial Day,	150 00
Playground,	683 00
Cemeteries,	798 14
Interest,	2,745 64
Indebtedness,	11,000 00
Temporary loan,	10,000 00
County,	7,752 11

Schools,	31,085 00
Taxes bought by town,	39 07
Bounties,	36 50
Motor permits,	109 50
Soldiers' aid,	11 00
Civilian defense,	6 00
Damage by dogs,	30 80
Special poll tax,	2,073 00
Collector of Internal Revenue,	333 30
Glen street,	657 64
Total,	<hr/> \$94,079 97

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### BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H.

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Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
 January 1, 1945 to December 31, 1945  
 Compared With  
 Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year  
 February 1, 1944 to December 31, 1944

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#### Sources of Revenue

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1944	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1945
Interest and dividends tax,	\$1,932 96	
Railroad tax,	1,027 02	
Savings bank tax,	401 26	
Reimbursement a/c state and federal forest lands,	21 53	
For fighting forest fires,	115 88	
Business licenses and permits,	10 00	
Fines and forfeits, Municipal court,	48 00	
Rent of town hall and other buildings,	34 00	
(a) Water departments,	2,000 00	
Motor vehicle permit fees,	998 73	
(b) National bank stock taxes,	30 00	

## Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1944	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1945
Current maintenance expense:		
General government:		
Ordinary,	\$604 80	\$700 00
Town officers' salaries,	2,500 00	2,500 00
Town officers' expenses,	339 74	300 00
Election and registration expenses,	338 50	100 00
Municipal court expenses,	105 40	100 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	2,228 48	2,400 00
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department,	1,065 81	1,200 00
Fire department,	3,306 76	3,500 00
Civilian defense,	6 00	
Health:		
Public health nurse,	1,512 50	1,650 00
Health department, including hospitals,	50 00	60 00
Vital statistics,	38 50	50 00
Car for nurse,		600 00
Highways and bridges:		
Town oil,	2,055 19	2,000 00
Town maintenance: Summer,	4,606 87	4,500 00
Town maintenance: Winter,	2,277 54	3,000 00
Street lighting,	2,017 50	2,200 00
Town road aid,	193 80	
Glen street,	657 64	
Motor permits,	109 50	
Libraries:		
Libraries,	1,500 00	1,500 00
Public welfare:		
Town poor,	186 91	300 00
Old age assistance,	1,640 86	1,700 00

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1944	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1945
Patriotic purposes:		
Memorial day and other celebrations,	150 00	150 00
Aid to soldiers and their families,	11 00	100 00
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds,	683 00	600 00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries,	798 14	800 00
Bounties,	36 50	
Damages,	30 80	100 00
Interest:		
On temporary loans,	25 00	50 00
On bonded debt,	2,590 00	2,315 00
On long term notes,	130 64	103 14
• Taxes bought by town,	39 07	
Internal revenue,	333 30	
Special poll taxes,	2,073 00	
Indebtedness:		
Payment on principal of debt:		
(a) Bonds,	9,000 00	8,500 00
(b) Long term notes,	2,000 00	2,000 00
(e) Temporary loan,	10,000 00	
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
County taxes,	7,752 11	8,000 00
Payments to school districts,	31,085 00	36,895 00
Total expenditures,	\$94,079 97	\$87,973 14



## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

### For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1944

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Cash on hand January 31, 1944,	\$17,054 58
Bicycle registrations,	23 75
Bonus for service men,	2,073 00
Bounty on Hedgehogs,	13 40
Burning grass,	7 50
Dog licenses,	439 80
Filing fees,	6 00
Forest fire aid,	113 43
Insurance rebate,	95
Insurance received,	95 00
Insurance, damage to town hall clock,	75 00
Loan from Winchester National bank,	10,000 00
Motor vehicle permits,	998 73
Playground Association, reimbursement,	75 00
Posting fire notices,	2 45
Police court, proportion of fines,	48 00
Pool licenses,	10 00
Property redeemed,	111 15
Rent, town hall,	34 00
State treasurer, interest and dividend tax,	1,932 96
State treasurer, reimbursement for loss of tax on public land,	21 53
State treasurer, railroad tax,	1,027 02
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	401 26
Stove sold,	40 00

#### Tarring driveways:

Mrs. Ezra Pike,	\$5 83
H. S. Garfield,	12 28
C. B. O'Neal,	20 51
F. W. Jeffords,	7 89
D. P. Welch,	20 05



Mrs. Roscoe Jaquith,	4 14
Miss Mabel Temple,	4 12
Sidney Stearns,	2 97
Mrs. Agnes Golden,	2 95
Frank Williams,	1 79
Truman Mead,	9 00
H. C. Holland,	9 00
W. H. Barrett,	5 63
Charles W. Harris,	4 12
David Bell,	2 52
W. S. Kimball,	4 74
Alcide Jarvis,	6 11
<b>Frank Young,</b>	<b>5 54</b>
Sidney L. Butler,	6 10
R. A. Weeks,	6 95
P. W. Taylor,	6 12
Guy Whitney,	27 35
M. J. Madigan,	15 13
Ceceil Butler,	7 96
Frank Walker,	2 72
Blazey Matuszewski,	12 22
Joseph Kowal,	2 18
Mrs. Arthur Provost,	13 33
H. R. Wood,	3 23
Robert Lachance,	32 15
Mrs. F. O. Packard,	1 50
H. A. Mead,	3 93
Eldon Sargeant,	3 54
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	273 60
Taxes,	73,917 26
Interest on taxes,	86 43
Water and sewer department, income,	2,000 00
Withholding tax, W. H. Barrett, highway dep't.,	346 90
Withholding tax, Frank Walker,	48 00
Winchester, town of, labor on road,	135 00
Guy Whitney, town maintenance,	69 00
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Total receipts,	\$111,480 70

Less selectmen's orders drawn,	94,079 97
Cash on hand, January 1st, 1945,	<u>\$17,400 73</u>

GEORGE E. ROBERTSON,  
Town Treasurer.  
By H. R. WEEKS.

This is to certify that we have examined the cash book of the Town Treasurer showing a balance as of Dec. 31st, 1944 of \$17,400.73, which balance we have reconciled with the treasurer's check books and the bank statements.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,  
Town Auditors.

### **Cemetery Lot Fund Report**

	Cash on hand February 1, 1944,	\$971 83
Feb. 18	William Wallace,	25 00
Apr. 3	Mrs. Hannah Pike,	50 00
	24 Bruce lot,	50 00
June 7	Stacey & Crowningshield,	50 00
	19 Harold C. Holland,	50 00
	19 Mrs. Ethel Stanclift,	25 00
July 1	Interest, Vermont Savings Bank,	7 66
	22 Elizabeth Spencer,	25 00
	22 Richard M. Dodge,	25 00
	22 Clark Maynard,	50 00
Oct. 13	John Bienik, (Old cemetery),	15 00
	23 Earl Williams,	25 00
Dec. 30	Interest, Vermont Savings Bank,	9 57
	Cash on hand, January 1st, 1945,	<u>\$1,379 06</u>

GEORGE E. ROBERTSON,  
Town Treasurer.  
By H. R. WEEKS.

Audited Jan. 23, 1945.

CHESTER C. LEES,  
MARION P. WELCH,  
Town Auditors.

## BONDED DEBT

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### Annual Maturities Water and Sewer Bonds

	Water Bonds at 2¾ %	Sewer Bonds at 4%
Original Amount of Issue	\$114,000.00	\$55,000.00
Principal Maturing	October 1st each year	May 1st each year
Interest payable	April and October	May and November
Payable at	Second National Bank of Boston	Town Treasurer's Office

Yearly Maturities	Bonds	Interest	Bonds	Interest
1945	\$6,000 00	\$1,485 00	\$2,500 00	\$830 00
1946	6,000 00	1,320 00	2,500 00	730 00
1947	6,000 00	1,155 00	2,500 00	630 00
1948	6,000 00	990 00	2,500 00	530 00
1949	5,000 00	825 00	2,500 00	430 00
1950	5,000 00	687 00	2,500 00	330 00
1951	5,000 00	550 00	2,500 00	230 00
1952	5,000 00	412 50	2,500 00	130 00
1953	5,000 00	275 00	2,000 00	40 00
1954	5,000 00	137 50		
	\$54,000 00		\$22,000 00	

### Glen Street Water Extension Notes

Notes dated June 10, 1941 at 1½ % per annum.

Original amount of issue, \$14,000.00.

Principal maturing, September 1st each year.

Interest payable, March 1st and September 1st each year.

Payable at Winchester National Bank, Winchester, N. H.

Yearly Maturities	Note	Interest
1945	\$2,000 00	\$103 14
1946	2,000 00	75 64
1947	2,000 00	48 14
1948	1,500 00	20 64

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES****Ordinary Town Charges**

Zion's Hill Press,	\$547 50	
Temple Insurance Agency,		
Red Cross auto liability,	26 70	
Esther Bennett, records,	1 00	
Winfield Chaplin, records,	17 60	
Hopkins, flowers for E. B. Pike.	10 00	
Leland Alger, refund on poll tax,	2 00	
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	\$604 80	
Appropriation,		\$700 00
Balance,	95 20	
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	\$700 00	

**Town Officers' Salaries**

Chester Lees, auditor,	\$25 00	
Marion Welch, auditor,	25 00	
Eleanor S. Smith, town clerk,	125 00	
Maude Taylor, clerk of trust funds,	90 00	
Robert A. Weeks, water and sewer commissioner,	100 00	
William S. Kimball, water and sewer commissioner,	100 00	
Howard I. Streeter, water and sewer commissioner,	100 00	
George E. Robertson, town treasurer,	270 00	
Howard I. Streeter, overseer of charities,	200 00	
Clifford D. Stearns, selectman,	475 00	
Roy D. Taylor, selectman,	270 00	
James G. Snow, selectman,	270 00	
George Jones, tax collector,	450 00	
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	\$2,500 00	
Appropriation,		\$2,500 00

**Fire Department**

Hinsdale Water Works,	\$1,288 50	
Hartford Accident Ins. Co., insurance,	178 75	
Eureka Fire Hose Co., hose,	225 00	
H. J. Delphy, janitor and supplies,	170 60	
Am. LaFrance & Foamite Corp., supplies,	43 49	
Royce Bros. Garage, supplies,	67 92	
D. P. Welch, coal,	192 91	
Public Service Co. of N. H.,	16 93	
Temple Insurance Agency,	68 12	
Colton Insurance Agency,	43 09	
W. G. Smith, coal,	30 04	
Seagrave Co., supplies,	2 65	
Richard L. Howe, firemen's salaries,	810 00	
H. W. Taylor, supplies,	13 30	
F. J. Young,	4 50	
Peter Zavorotny, repairs on truck,	1 11	
C. D. Fay, forest fire payroll and expenses,	149 85	

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\$3,306 76

Appropriation,		\$3,500 00
Reimbursements,		123 38
Balance,	316 62	

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\$3,623 38    \$3,623 38

**Police**

Frank Walker, salary,	\$816 00	
Charles Blossom, salary,	220 00	
S. C. Adams, Co., bicycle plates,	23 31	
Los Angeles Stamp & Stat. Co.,	6 60	

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\$1,065 91

Bicycle registrations,		\$23 75
Appropriation,		1,200 00
Balance,	157 84	

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\$1,223 75    \$1,223 75



**Election and Registration**

Clarence D. Fay, moderator,	\$36 00	
Eleanor S. Smith, clerk,	36 00	
Robert Cunningham, supervisor of checklist,	45 00	
Ray L. Fletcher, supervisor of checklist,	45 00	
William Watson, supervisor of checklist,	45 00	
Hazel Lamb, ballot clerk,	4 50	
Helen Roy, ballot clerk,	13 50	
Agnes Golden, ballot clerk,	13 50	
Frank Jeffords, ballot clerk,	9 00	
Abbie Robertson, ballot clerk,	9 00	
Hannah Pike, ballot clerk,	4 50	
C. D. Stearns, selectman,	13 50	
James Snow, selectman,	13 50	
Roy Taylor, selectman,	13 50	
Yorke Cafe, meals,	37 00	
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	\$338 50	
Appropriation,		\$275 00
Overdrawn,		63 50
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		\$338 50

**Town Officers' Expenses**

Clifford Stearns,	\$4 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	85 92
Chase's Book Store, supplies,	47 92
N. H. Assessors, dues,	4 00
Town clerk's dues,	2 00
Zion's Hill Press,	14 75
Faught & Son, repairs,	6 50
F. J. Young, postage,	14 65
Colton Insurance Agency :	
Constable's bond,	5 00
Town clerk's bond,	5 00
Cemetery trustee's bonds,	15 00
Town treasurer's bond,	50 00
Tax collector's bond,	65 00
Treasurer, water board, bond,	5 00
Superintendent, water board, bond,	5 00



## Temple Insurance Agency :

Road agent's bond, 5 00

Library treasurer's bond, 5 00

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\$339 74

Appropriation, \$100 00

Overdrawn, 239 -74

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\$339 74**Town Hall**

Frank Walker, janitor, \$864 00

Public Service Co. of N. H., 93 28

Barrows Coal Co., coal, 494 44

Boyce Bros., drawing coal, 48 50

Streeter's Machine Shop, labor on clock, 4 50

Hinsdale Water Works, water rent, 18 75

Nutual Studios, fireproofing scenery, 125 00

Charles Harris, labor, 1 25

Boston &amp; Maine R. R., freight, 1 46

Granite State Mowing Mach. Co., labor, 1 50

J. L. Meisse, tuning pianos, 17 00

Warren Refining &amp; Chemical Co., supplies, 30 00

W. J. Pentland, supplies, 1 10

H. W. Taylor, supplies, 44 65

Temple Insurance Agency, insurance, 241 53

Colton Insurance Agency, insurance, 241 53

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\$2,228 49

Appropriation, \$2,400 00

Town hall rent, 34 00

Balance, 205 51

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\$2,434 00 \$2,434 00**Cemeteries**

Roy Taylor, sexton, \$400 00

Roy Taylor, laying water pipe, 20 02

Frank Williams, labor, 46 50

Charles Roy, Jr., labor, 160 80

Michael Murphy, labor,	6 00
Blazey Matuszewski, labor,	49 50
Wilfred Major, mowing,	2 00
Edward Houle, mowing,	52 40
George Upham, mowing,	4 00
Hinsdale Water Works,	5 93
H. W. Taylor, supplies,	13 91
Granite State Mowing Mach. Co., repairs,	10 83
W. H. Snow, repairs,	12 25
Frank Young, burning grass,	14 00

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\$798 14

Appropriation,	\$400 00
Overdrawn,	398 14

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\$798 14

### Playground

Clifford Hall, labor,	\$108 80
Beulah Howard, supervisor,	163 75
Doris Worden, assistant,	40 00

#### Temple Insurance Agency :

Insurance field house,	17 50
Insurance, observation post,	7 50
Public Service Co. of N. H.,	9 62
Granite State Mowing Mach. Co., labor and supplies,	143 60
Spencer Hardware, supplies,	6 05
Spencer Bros., supplies,	48 03
Royce Bros., supplies,	14 92
Holden & Martin, lumber,	112 61

#### Colton Insurance Agency :

Liability insurance on tractor and trailer,	10 62
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Appropriation,	\$600 00
Playground Association, refund,	75 00

Overdrawn,		8 00
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	\$683 00	\$683 00
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### Memorial Day

Reginald Gove, treasurer of S. of V.,	\$100 00	
Charles Roy, American Legion,	25 00	
Arthur Rouillard, North Hinsdale,	25 00	

	\$150 00	
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Appropriation,		\$150 00
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### Special Poll Taxes

State of N. H., 681 @ \$3.00,	\$2,073 00	
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### Damage By Dogs

Mrs. Richard Butler, chickens killed,	\$30 80	
Appropriation,		\$100 00
Balance,	69 20	

	\$100 00	
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### Vital Statistics

Eleanor Smith, recording,	\$34 50	
Dr. Brown, reporting,	1 25	
Dr. Lachaine, reporting,	2 75	

	\$38 50	
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Appropriation,		\$50 00
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Balance,	11 50	
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	\$50 00	
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### Health Department

Howard Streeter, health officer,	\$50 00	
Appropriation,		\$60 00
Balance,	10 00	

	\$60 00	
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**Public Welfare**

Old Age Assistance, town share of,	\$1,640 86	
Appropriation,		\$1,500 00
Overdrawn,		140 86
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		\$1,640 86

**TOWN POOR****Case No. 1**

Hospital,	\$72 85
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**Case No. 2**

Hospital,	114 06
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\$186 91

Appropriation,		\$400 00
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Balance,	213 09
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\$400 00

**SOLDIERS' AID****Case No. 1**

Supplies,	\$11 00
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Appropriation,		\$100 00
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Balance,	89 00
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\$100 00

Collector of Internal Revenue,	\$333 30
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Temporary loan,	\$10,000 00
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**Motor Registration**

Eleanor Smith, permits,	\$109 50
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**Public Health Nurse**

Katherine Hammond, treasurer, nurse's

salary,	\$1,512 50
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Appropriation,		\$1,650 00
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Balance,	137 50
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\$1,650 00

**County Tax**

County of Cheshire,	\$7,752 11	
Appropriation,		\$7,752 11

**Street Lights**

Public Service Co. of N. H.,	\$1,963 50	
Public Service Corp. of Vt.,		
lights on Island,	54 00	
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	\$2,017 50	
Appropriation,		\$2,200 00
Balance,	182 50	
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	\$2,200 00	

**Bounties**

Roy Taylor,	\$26 50	
Clayton Owen,	8 50	
Clifford Stearns,	1 50	
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	\$36 50	
Due from State of New Hampshire,		\$36 50

**Municipal Court**

Judge, J. W. Field, salary,	\$100 00	
Frank Walker, expenses,	5 40	
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	\$105 40	
Appropriation,		\$100 00
J. W. Field, credit,		48 00
Balance,	42 60	
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	\$148 00	\$148 00

**Library**

Ernest Adams, treasurer,	\$1,500 00	
Appropriation,		\$1,500 00

**Taxes Bought By Town**

2 parcels,	\$32 40	
Winfield Chaplin, recording,	6 67	
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	\$39 07	

**Civilian Defense**

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	\$3 50	
H. W. Taylor, labor,	2 50	
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	\$6 00	
Received from Girl Scouts for stove,		\$40 00

**WINTER MAINTENANCE****Roads and Sidewalks**

W. H. Barrett, orders,	\$2,277 54	
Appropriations,		\$2,000 00
Overdrawn,		277 54
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	\$2,277 54	

**SUMMER MAINTENANCE****Roads and Sidewalks**

W. H. Barrett, orders,	\$4,606 87	
Appropriation,		\$4,500 00
Credits,		254 00
Balance,	147 13	
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	\$4,754 00	\$4,754 00

**Oiling Roads**

W. H. Barrett, orders,	\$2,055 19	
Appropriation,		\$2,000 00
Credits,		273 60
Balance,	218 41	
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	\$2,273 60	\$2,273 60

**Glen Street**

W. H. Barrett, orders,	\$657 64	
Appropriation (1943),		\$750 00
Balance,	92 36	
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	\$750 00	

**T. R. A.**

Appropriation,	\$193 80	
Paid State of New Hampshire,		\$193 80



**Paid on Indebtedness**

Winchester National Bank, sewer bonds,	\$3,000 00	
Appropriation,		\$3,000 00
Glen St. water notes,	\$2,000 00	
Appropriation,		\$2,000 00
Temporary loan,		\$10,000 00
Second National Bank of Boston,		
water bonds notes,	\$6,000 00	
Appropriation,		\$6,000 00

**Interest**

Second National Bank of Boston,		
water bonds, interest,	\$1,650 00	
Winchester National Bank,		
sewer bonds, interest,	940 00	
Glen St. Water Extension, interest,	130 64	
Temporary loan, interest,	25 00	
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	\$2,745 64	
Appropriation,		\$2,770 64
Balance,	25 00	
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	\$2,770 64	

**Schools**

J. W. Field, treasurer,	\$31,085 00	
Balance due Board of Education,	16,695 00	
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	\$47,780 00	
Appropriation, 1944,		\$34,695 00
Due from 1943,		13,085 00
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		\$47,780 00

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Hinsdale, N. H.,  
January 26th, 1945.

This is to certify that we have examined the Selectmen's receipts and payments together with vouchers and supporting invoices and payrolls and find them to be properly signed and

classified. We also find that the Town Treasurer has received the sum of \$111,480.70 and that the Selectmen have drawn orders for \$94,079.97, leaving a balance of \$17,400.73 as of December 31st, 1944.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,  
Town Auditors.

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**HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT**  
**Town Maintenance, Summer**

Treasurer, Town of Hinsdale, with-	
holding tax,	\$248 80
Walter H. Barrett,	908 70
Floyd Sprague,	752 65
William McAuliffe,	736 95
Henry Barrett,	909 50
Streeter's Machine Shop, labor and	
materials.	16 68
Brattleboro Auto Top Shop, repairing	
cushions,	3 75
A. H. Wilson Garage, oil,	24 00
G. E. Robertson & Co., coal,	1 00
Spencer Bros., parts and labor on truck,	31 85
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity,	8 00
Royce Bros. Garage, gas and labor on truck,	203 64
Peoples Bus Co., express on brooms,	21
Mrs. Harriett Darling, Est., gravel,	10 10
The Temple Ins. Agency, auto liability	
insurance,	40 59
The Temple Ins. Agency, insurance on shed,	15 00
Robert E. Dunklee, labor on Mack truck,	11 80
Holden & Martin Lumber Co., posts	
and lumber,	61 32
Peter Bragiotti, gas,	2 09
Winfield Brooks,	62 90
Andrew Farnham,	28 80
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co.,	
gravel,	25 00

Solvay Sales Corp., calcium chloride,	43 00	
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts and labor		
on truck,	43 19	
New England Box Co., plank,	32 97	
S. L. Butler, labor and materials,	36 16	
F. M. Fuller, repairs on plow,	4 35	
Eagle Iron Foundry, rims and grates,	27 00	
Francis Stetson, gravel,	3 70	
Harley Sheldon, gravel,	3 70	
Mike Bomba, gravel,	3 30	
Floyd Westcott,	43 20	
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc., R. C. pipe,	33 32	
Walter Hale,	50 70	
Hinsdale Water Works, town shed,	5 00	
Winfield Jackson,	6 00	
Lewis Hodgman,	16 00	
Kenneth Perry,	8 00	
Kenneth Perry, truck,	9 00	
Melvin Thompson,	4 80	
Gulf Oil Corp., fuel oil,	14 20	
Arthur Butler,	4 20	
H. W. Taylor,	107 75	
Dona Bergeron, grind stone,	4 00	
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	\$4,606 87	
Appropriation,		\$4,500 00
Credits:		
Town of Winchester, for use of truck,	135 00	
Guy Whitney, for labor on drive way,	69 00	
Town dump,	50 00	
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		\$4,754 00
Balance,	147 13	
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	\$4,754 00	

### Town Oiling

Treasurer, Town of Hinsdale, With-	
holding tax,	\$16 80

Trimount Bituminous Products Co.,		
cold patch,	68 80	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tar,	1,241 64	
Walter H. Barrett,	47 80	
Floyd Sprague,	43 90	
William McAuliffe,	40 95	
Henry Barrett,	50 60	
James Farnham,	24 70	
Ralph Hammond,	19 70	
Andrew Farnham,	73 80	
Floyd Westcott,	27 60	
Joseph Magee,	16 20	
Frank McLaughlin,	19 80	
Kenneth Perry, truck,	59 40	
Royce Bros. Garage, truck,	118 80	
Neil Atkins, shovel,	137 50	
Fred Stetson, gravel,	4 10	
Harley Sheldon, gravel,	4 10	
John Dickinson, gravel.	19 80	
Richard Lee,	4 20	
George Podmore,	3 60	
Anthony Nagine,	4 20	
John Hayarol,	3 60	
Frank Brewer,	3 60	
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	\$2,055 19	
Appropriation,		\$2,000 00
Credits, tarring driveways:		
Mrs. Arthur Provost,	13 33	
Frank Young,	5 54	
Mrs. F. O. Packard,	1 50	
Mrs. Ezra Pike,	5 83	
Harold Garfield,	12 28	
Robert Weeks,	6 95	
Clarence O'Neal,	20 51	
Frank Jeffords,	7 89	
M. J. Madigan,	15 13	
D. P. Welch,	20 05	

H. A. Mead,	3 93
Mrs. Roscoe Jacquith,	4 14
David Bell,	2 52
Charles Harris,	4 12
Joseph Kowal,	2 18
Frank Walker,	2 72
Prentiss Taylor,	6 12
Walter H. Barrett,	5 63
Eldon Sargeant,	3 54
Mabel Temple,	4 12
Sidney Stearns,	2 97
Cecil Butler,	7 96
Mrs. Agnes Golden,	2 95
Sidney Butler,	6 10
Frank Williams,	1 79
Blazey Matuszewski,	12 22
Guy Whitney,	27 35
Truman Mead,	9 00
Harold C. Holland,	9 00
Ralph Wood,	3 23
Robert LaChance,	32 15
Alcide Jarvis,	6 11
William Kimball,	4 74
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	\$2,273 60
Balance,	218 38
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	\$2,273 57

**Town Maintenance, Winter  
Roads and Sidewalks**

Treasurer, Town of Hinsdale, with-	
holding tax,	\$76 90
Walter H. Barrett,	379 90
Floyd Sprague,	276 90
William McAuliffe,	319 50
Henry Barrett,	314 60
George Podmore,	27 60
Arthur Butler,	6 60



Streeter's Machine Shop, labor and materials,	7 77	
Perkins-Eaton Machinery Co., parts for Sargeant plow,	53 07	
Spencer Bros., battery, labor on Mack truck,	29 80	
Royce Bros. Garage, gas and oil,	61 77	
Royce Bros. Garage, truck,	64 40	
Herman Hudson, truck,	28 80	
James Farnham,	19 80	
Fred Field, gravel,	15 00	
Andrew Farnham, truck,	239 10	
Wilfred Major, team,	54 00	
Huldrige Delphy,	4 80	
The Orcutt Works, ice machinery, oil,	5 25	
Railway Express Co., express on oil,	65	
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts for truck,	2 46	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity for town shed,	2 00	
P. I. Perkins Co., parts for tractor and plow,	16 99	
Solvay Sales Corp., calcium chloride,	43 00	
International Salt Co., salt,	70 50	
Robert E. Dunklee, labor on snow plow,	13 45	
Walsh Holyoke Steam Boiler Works, cutting edges,	27 88	
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel, sand,	41 10	
Lewis Hodgman,	10 00	
Roy Bardwell,	3 50	
The Morgan Garage, labor on Mack truck,	47 70	
F. M. Fuller, repairing snow plow,	12 75	
		\$2,277 54
Appropriation,		\$2,000 00
Overdrawn,		277 54
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<b>Glen Street</b>		
Treasurer, Town of Hinsdale, with- holding tax,	\$4 40	
Walter H. Barrett,	27 30	

Floyd Sprague,	21 90	
William McAuliffe,	23 70	
Henry Barrett,	27 30	
Royce Bros. Garage, truck,	129 60	
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co., gravel,	126 50	
Northfield Washed Sand & Gravel Co., trucking,	7 00	
Town of Winchester, use of grader,	14 00	
Frank McLaughlin,	2 40	
Joseph Magee,	1 20	
Floyd Westcott,	1 20	
Ralph Hammond,	60	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tar,	246 94	
Andrew Farnham, truck,	3 60	
Kenneth Perry, truck,	7 20	
Neil Atkins, shovel,	11 00	
John Dickinson, gravel,	1 80	
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	\$657 64	
Appropriation,		\$750 00
Balance,	92 36	
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	\$750 00	

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Audited Feb. 2, 1945.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,  
Town Auditors.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT OF THE WATER AND SEWER WORKS

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To the Water and Sewer Commissioners and citizens of  
Hinsdale:

I herewith submit the following report: I have attended several sessions of the Water Works school which are held in Boston each month. I also attended the New England Water Works convention at Poland Springs, Maine.

The most interesting meeting I attended was at Manchester, N. H., where Mr. E. Sherman Chase, Partner, Metcalf & Eddy engineers, Boston, Mass., gave a paper on "Essentials of a Good Small Water Works." He also showed moving picture slides of different places in Hinsdale, Kilburn Pond just before the pond filled up, the Filter plant, also the large paper mill fire. In closing my report I wish to thank the Commissioners and Selectmen for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HARRIS,

Superintendent.

### Total Receipts to Dec. 31, 1944

Balance cash on hand Jan. 1, 1944,	\$1,735 32
Received from water rents to Jan. 1, 1945,	4,998 55
Received for job work,	83 80
Received from supplies sold,	20
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Total,	\$6,817 87
Total expenditures,	6,231 93
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Balance cash on hand Jan. 1, 1945,	\$585 94

ROBERT A. WEEKS,

WILLIAM S. KIMBALL,

HOWARD I. STREETER,

Audited, 1/4/45.

CHESTER C. LEES,

MARION P. WELCH,

Town Auditors.

**Refund to Town of Hinsdale**

Town of Hinsdale,	\$2,000 00
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**Purification Plant, Chemicals and Expenses**

Chemical Corp.,	\$209 78
Supplies,	12 63
Public Service of New Hampshire,	93 20
Monsanto Chemical Co.,	122 50
B. & M. R. R.,	5 00
Leon Stearns,	4 00
Ashuelot Paper Co.,	5 30
W. G. Smith,	11 90
Builders Providence Inc.,	1 19
W. N. Potter Co.,	122 15
Wm. Snow,	4 50
White Washburn Co.,	1 75
N. E. Water Works Ass'n.,	6 00
Johnson Barker Co.,	14 28
H. R. Prescott & Sons,	12 62
Granite State M. M. Co.,	2 39
Sidney Butler,	158 55
Robert La Chance,	15 50
H. W. Taylor,	52 38
New Hampshire Water Works Ass'n.,	5 00
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	\$860 62

**Job Work**

Job work,	\$3 30
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**Purification Plant, Labor**

Charles Hoffman,	\$639 22
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**Insurance and Taxes**

Town of Winchester, taxes,	\$96 60
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**Distribution Expenses**

Charles W. Harris, salary,	\$1,757 60
Charles W. Harris, tax,	114 40
Charles W. Harris, truck,	240 00
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Total,	\$2,112 00

**Repairs to Mains and Services**

Repairs to mains,	\$5 00
Repairs to hydrants and removing snow,	81 00
Repairs to services,	6 00
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Total,	\$92 00

**Distribution, Supplies and Expense**

Neptune Meter Co.,	\$163 80
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**Labor and Expense on Sewer to Dec. 31, 1944**

Winnie Brooks,	\$35 70
James Farnham,	28 05
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Total,	\$63 75

**Freight, Express, Telephone, Postage and Printing**

Freight,	\$91 37
Express,	6 42
Postage and printing,	45 32
Telephone,	57 53
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Total,	\$200 64



## HINSDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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### The Board of Engineers Submit the Following Report:

There have been 9 general alarms and 33 stills during the year.

Jan. 15 Robertson Paper, (Ashuelot).  
 Apr. 9 Bentley's henhouse.  
 Apr. 22 Elmer Townsend.  
 June 11 Dr. La Chance's.  
 June 18 Foundry.  
 July 22 Lute White's.  
 Nov. 2 Varno's.  
 Nov. 4 Fisk Paper's.  
 Dec. 6 Rex Higgins'.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE D. FAY, Chief.

H. J. DELPHY, 1st Ass't. Engineer,

R. S. HOWE, 2nd Ass'n. Engineer,

F. J. YOUNG, 3rd Ass'n. Engineer,

F. W. WALKER, 4th Ass'n. Engineer.

### Fire Dept. Treasurer's Report, 1944

Jan. 29, 1945

Yearly salaries,	\$478 00	
Extra time,	312 00	
Received from town treasurer,		\$810 00
Balance,	\$20 00	

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. HOWE,

Treasurer.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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### Levy of 1944

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes,	\$74,835 87
Poll taxes regular,	1,862 00
Poll taxes special,	2,913 00
National bank stock tax,	30 00

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Total Warrant,	\$79,640 87
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Added taxes:

Poll taxes regular,	\$24 00
Poll taxes special,	36 00
Interest collected,	3 76

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\$79,704 63

Remittances to treasurer:

Property taxes,	\$70,473 24
Interest collected,	3 76
National bank taxes,	30 00
Poll taxes regular,	1,332 00
Poll taxes special,	2,073 00
Discount allowed,	2,044 20
Abatements,	145 00

Uncollected taxes as per coll.:

List: Property taxes,	2,323 43
Poll taxes, regular,	494 00
Poll taxes, special,	786 00

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Total credits,	\$79,704 62
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### Levy of 1943

Uncollected taxes as of Feb. 1, 1944,	\$2,135 27
Interest collected during fiscal year ended,	80 90
Added poll taxes,	40 00

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\$2,256 17

Total remittances to treasurer during fiscal year,	\$2,142 17	
Abatements made during year,	64 00	
Uncollected taxes,	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,256 17

Redeem taxes,	\$111 15
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#### Levies of 1938-1939-1940-1941-1942

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1945,	\$48 00	
Interest <sup>9</sup> collected,	1 77	
Added taxes,	2 00	
Cash on hand last year,	8 75	
	<hr/>	\$60 52

Total remittances to treasurer,	\$13 77	
Uncollected taxes per collector's list,	22 00	
Cash on hand, 1943,	8 75	
Abatements,	16 00	
	<hr/>	\$60 52

#### 1942 Taxes Uncollected

Paduchak, Mary,	\$2 00	
Reddin, Mary,	2 00	
Rosplock, Chas.,	2 00	
Rosplock, Theresa,	2 00	
Royce, Raymond,	2 00	
Pelis, John,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$12 00

1938 Reddin, Mary,	\$2 00
1939 Reddin, Mary,	2 00
1940 Reddin, Mary,	2 00
1941 Reddin, Mary,	2 00
1941 Plummer, Mary,	2 00

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of Dec. 31, 1944 on account of the tax levy of 1938-1939-1940-1941-1942 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE H. JONES,

Collector.

Audited, Jan. 17, 1945.

MARION P. WELCH,

CHESTER C. LEES,

Town Auditors.

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**1943 Taxes Uncollected**

Benick, Florence,	\$2 00
Bessette, Russell,	2 00
Bessette, Raymond,	2 00
Bettie, Annie,	2 00
Bonnett, Fannie,	2 00
Bonnett, Jennie,	2 00
Bruce, Raymond,	2 00
Deyo, Edna,	2 00
Dubriski, Frances,	2 00
Francis, Edward,	2 00
Francis, Myrtle,	2 00
Greene, Alton,	2 00
Greene, Marion,	2 00
Paduchak, Mary,	2 00
Patterson, Fred,	2 00
Pelis, Frank,	2 00
Royce Raymond,	2 00
Serdynski, Joseph, Jr.,	2 00
Serdynski, Joseph, Jr., Mrs.,	2 00
Roberts, Ralph,	2 00
Thompson, Andrew,	2 00
Walker, Clarence,	2 00
Weeks, Irene,	2 00
Williams, Lawrence,	2 00
William, Mary,	2 00

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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### Motor Vehicle Permits Issued

For 1943-44, 2 permits,	\$1 43	
For 1944-45, 436 permits,	997 30	
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	\$998 73	
Paid town treasurer,		\$998 73
Total permits issued, 438.		

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Audited January 20, 1945.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,  
Town Auditors.

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### DOG LICENSES FOR 1944

Amarosa, Frank J.,	\$5 00
Amarosa, Frank J.,	2 00
Barrett, Florence,	2 00
Barrett, Hazel,	2 00
Bell, Harry E.,	2 00
Bell, Harry E.,	2 00
Bentley, Glossie,	2 00
Bergeron, Harriet,	2 00
Bevis, W. Aubrey,	2 00
Bieniek, John,	2 00
Bigsby, Milton,	2 00
Bishop, Charles,	2 00
Bishop, Jennie,	2 00
Blair, Harold,	2 00
Bombay, Julia G.,	2 00
Boyle, Charles,	5 00
Brown, Frank,	2 00
Brown, Rosabel,	2 00
Buckley, Prescott M.,	2 00



Burbeck, Harold,	2 00
Burnier, Robert,	2 00
Bushey, William,	2 00
Butler, Annie,	2 00
Butler, Arthur G.,	2 00
Butler, Burnett A.,	5 00
Butler, Ernest,	2 00
Butler, Ethel,	2 00
Butler, Florence E.,	5 00
Carpenter, Edward A.,	5 00
Chamberlain, Paul V.,	2 00
Cherwa, John,	2 00
Clough, Walter,	2 00
Clow, Eva S.,	5 00
Collis, Margaret,	2 00
Cooke, Wendell,	2 00
Coons, Bessie,	2 00
Corkins, Ronald E.,	2 00
Cotey, Beverley,	2 00
Cunningham, Claudia,	5 00
Cushing, Rev. Thomas W.,	2 00
Daniels, Ernest,	12 00
Dascomb, Walter E.,	5 00
Dexter, Gladys,	2 00
Dixon, Arnold,	5 00
Dodge, E. M.,	2 00
Dodge, Raymond,	2 00
Dodge, Richard S.,	2 00
Doolittle, Miles W.,	2 00
Doyle, Lois,	2 00
Doucette, Joey,	2 00
Doucette, Joseph,	2 00
Dube, Joseph,	2 00
Duffy, James,	2 00
Ebbighausen, Herman,	2 00
Enright, John,	2 00
Eubar, Nelson,	2 00
Fecto, Forrest,	2 00
Field, Everett E.,	2 00

Fostyck, Annie,	2 00
Francis, Edward,	2 00
Fuller, Elmer W.,	2 00
Gamash, Barbara,	2 00
Garfield, Jeanne E.,	2 00
Gauthier, Diane,	2 00
Golden, Francis,	2 00
Goss, Sandra Jean,	5 00
Gove, Lorraine,	2 00
Graham, Donald B., Jr.,	2 00
Grey, William D.,	2 00
Grover, Mildred,	2 00
Hale, Oliver,	2 00
Harvey, Elsie,	2 00
Hastings, Arthur,	2 00
Hastings, George N.,	2 00
Higgins, Beatrice,	2 00
Higgins, Glen F.,	12 00
Hildreth, Raymond C., Jr.,	2 00
Howe, Clarence,	2 00
Huryn, Harry,	2 00
Jacobs, Frank S.,	5 00
Jaqueth, Beatrice M.,	2 00
Jasienowski, Julia,	2 00
Johnson, Richard S.,	2 00
Karacas, Charles,	2 00
Kendrick, Fred D.,	2 00
Knapp, Velma,	2 00
Kochin, Steve,	2 00
Kosnoski, Felecia,	2 00
Kosnoski, Helen,	2 00
Kowal, Joseph,	2 00
Kozyra, Teddy,	2 00
LaChance, Blanche,	2 00
Lamb, Hazel,	2 00
Latham, Henry T.,	2 00
Lee, Katherine,	2 00
Lee, Warner,	2 00
Lerandeau, C. Edward,	2 00

Lorette, Albert,	5 00
Lucier, Robert,	2 00
McCormick, Owen N.,	2 00
McCormick, James N.,	2 00
McDonald, Mrs. C. A.,	2 00
Maddocks, Edgar,	2 00
Madigan, M. J.,	2 00
Madigan, M. J.,	2 00
Madigan, M. J.,	2 00
Major, Francis,	2 00
Major, Wilfred,	2 00
Maynard, Edward,	2 00
Marshall, Robert F.,	5 00
Martell, Joseph,	5 00
Mecheski, Mary,	2 00
Merrifield, Cecil,	2 00
Miner, Arthur,	2 00
Monmaney, Herman,	2 00
Moore, Edward R.,	2 00
Mosher, Arthur,	2 00
Morse, Cecil H.,	2 00
Munson, Esther,	2 00
Murphy, Mrs. Ethel,	2 00
Nees, Bradford,	2 00
Newell, Herbert K.,	5 00
Nowicki, Stanley,	5 00
O'Connor, Florence,	2 00
O'Neal, Clarence B.,	2 00
Owen, Clayton A.,	2 00
Owen, David L.,	2 00
Paduchak, Mary,	2 00
Patterson, Viola A.,	2 00
Pelis, John A.,	2 00
Pelis, Joseph C.,	2 00
Pike, Mollie N.,	2 00
Podmore, George E.,	2 00
Pritz, Mary,	2 00
Provost, Alice.	2 00
Purkis, Lillian,	2 00

Purkis, Lillian,	5 00
Putnam, Albert,	2 00
Rash, Lilla,	2 00
Reddin, Mary J.,	2 00
Reid, James,	2 00
Richey, Joseph,	2 00
Roberts, Elizabeth B.,	5 00
Roberts, Elizabeth V.,	2 00
Ross, Annie E.,	2 00
Royce, John W.,	2 00
Royce, Mary,	2 00
Rouillard, Arthur,	2 00
Schlattner, Martin,	2 00
Schlattner, Martin,	2 00
Schorling, Gretchen,	2 00
Sheldon, Harley F.,	2 00
Snow, Mrs. William,	2 00
Sprague, Floyd G.,	2 00
Smith, Leland & Co.,	2 00
Smith, Ralph M.,	2 00
Stancilift, Charles,	2 00
Stancilift, Edwin,	2 00
Stancilift, Cleveland H.,	5 00
Stearns, Clifford D.,	5 00
Stearns, Clifford D.,	2 00
Stearns, Sidney W.,	2 00
Stephens, George, Jr.,	2 00
Stetson, Francis,	2 00
Stewart, Emma,	2 00
Streeter, Roger K.,	2 00
Taylor, Maude E.,	12 00
Thomas, Leon C.,	2 00
Thomson, Andrew,	2 00
Tuller, Roger,	2 00
Tuovinen, Abel,	2 00
Valley, Richard,	2 00
Vanasse, Leo,	2 00
Varney, George A.,	2 00
Varno, Phylis,	2 00

Walker, Frank W.,	2 00
Walker, Miriam,	2 00
Wallace, Dorothy,	2 00
Waterman, Chester,	2 00
Waterman, Maurice,	2 00
Waters, Paul,	2 00
Welch, D. P.,	5 00
Welch, D. P.,	2 00
Wells, Walter, J.,	5 00
Whitney, Hazel,	2 00
Whitman, David,	2 00
Whittle, Harold,	2 00
Williams, Earle,	2 00
Wililams, Peter,	2 00
Zaiko, Mary,	2 00

#### DOGS LICENSED FOR 1944

165 males @ \$2.00 each,	\$330 00
22 females @ \$5.00 each,	110 00
3 kennels @ \$12.00 each,	36 00
1 male for 1943,	2 00
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	\$478 00
Less fees,	38 20
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Amount paid town treasurer,	\$439 80

Audited, January 20, 1945.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,

Town Auditors.



## REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT

Year Ending December 31, 1944

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### Motor vehicle violations:

Case No. 375    Fine and costs paid.  
 Case No. 376    Costs paid.  
 Case No. 381    Costs paid.

### Drunks:

Case No. 377    Fine and costs paid and sentenced  
    to Westmoreland.  
 Case No. 378    Fine and costs paid.  
 Case No. 379    Fine and costs paid.  
 Case No. 382    Fine and costs paid.

### Assault:

Case No. 380    Fine and costs paid.  
 Case No. 383    Continued.  
 Agreements were made on Civil cases.

### Paid to Motor Vehicle Department, Concord, N. H.:

Case No. 375,	\$10 70
Case No. 376,	1 70
Case No. 381,	1 70

### Paid to treasurer, Town of Hinsdale, N. H.:

Case No. 375,	2 50
Case No. 376,	1 50
Case No. 377,	11 50
Case No. 378,	6 50
Case No. 379,	6 50
Case No. 380,	6 50
Case No. 380,	1 50
Case No. 382,	11 50

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\$62 10

Respectfully submitted,

JESSE W. FIELD,

Justice.

HAROLD R. WEEKS,

Associate Justice.

Juvenile cases were heard. Agreements made and damages paid.

JESSE W. FIELD,

Justice.

Audited, February 2, 1945.

CHESTER C. LEES,

MARION P. WELCH,

Town Auditors.

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**HINSDALE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION**  
**Nursing Report for 1944**

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I hereby submit the annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1944.

Prenatal,	12
Deliveries,	8
Postpartum,	53
Newborn,	74
Non-communicable,	623
Communicable,	24
Tuberculosis,	10
Health supervision:	
Infants,	60
Pre-school,	50
Adult welfare,	73
Schools,	190
Crippled children's service,	26
Total,	1,403

The annual physical examination of school children was started soon after the reopening of the schools, by Dr. Edmond Lachaine, school physician, assisted by the school nurse.

A pre-school Diphtheria Immunization Clinic was held in the community room June 22nd, Dr. Edmond Lachaine and Dr. H. L. Brown gave the toxoid to children between the ages of 6 months to 6 years. This clinic was sponsored by the State Department of Health.

Miss Ethel Holmes, Nursing Consultant, American Red Cross, visited this service February 25th, and Miss Florence Clark, Acting Public Health Nurse director, visited August 9th.

Meetings attended by nurse. State Nurse's meeting in Concord, N. H.; State Teachers Conference, Nurses section in Manchester, N. H.; Sectional Public Health meeting in Springfield, N. H.

At this time may I take this opportunity to thank the members of the local Nursing Committee, physicians, teachers and the community as a whole for their cooperation and assistance given to one in promoting the work of the nursing service.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. SIKOSKI, R. N.

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## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SERVICE

### Treasurer's Report for 1944

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#### Receipts

Balance on hand Feb. 1,	\$105 20
Town of Hinsdale,	1,512 50
Nursing service,	573 61
	<hr/> \$2,191 31

#### Expenditures

F. M. Sikoski, salary,	\$1,500 00
Ethel Pollard, substitute,	125 00
Alida Sheldon, substitute,	25 00
Rent,	75 00
Telephone,	17 22
Lights,	5 00
Auto expense,	130 05
Supplies,	18 06
Miscellaneous,	20 75
	<hr/> \$1,916 08

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1945, \$275 23

KATHERINE HAMMOND,

Treasurer.

## LIBRARY REPORT

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Hours open per week,	20
Total circulation,	25,849
Adult fiction,	16,487
Adult non-fiction,	1,781
Juvenile fiction,	3,127
Juvenile non-fiction,	1,796
Magazines,	2,458
Average daily,	100
Percent of fiction,	63

The circulation has dropped this year as it has in all libraries, due to the war taking so many of our readers. In this library it has been caused in part, by the fact that deposits of books are no longer sent into the schools, as it is so very difficult to obtain enough books, it was thought best to keep them all in the main collection.

The floor covering is badly worn, but the selectmen have promised a new one as soon as it can be purchased.

We were sorry to lose Miss Fletcher as assistant but others were trained at once. In the past two years Miss Garfield, Mrs. Varno and Mrs. Pelky have learned the desk work and we have a waiting list of others who would like to do so. In years to come, under this system, it would seem there would always be local people to carry on in an emergency until a trained librarian could be found.

There have been balances in fund at the ends of the last two years in spite of the fact that the price of books, binding and supplies have increased. It is impossible to buy enough books and some we do obtain, we wouldn't own if we could get those more to our liking. Books are chosen for every type of reader and a book that doesn't please one may be that which another enjoys.

Mrs. Watson who has served as a trustee for a number of years, resigned, and Mrs. Roger Holland was appointed to fill her unexpired term.

MRS. LUELLA M. C. STREETER,  
Librarian.

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE FOR 1944

	Keene Bank	Petty Cash	Amidon Trust Fund	Stearns-Bowker Jones Fund	Town Appropriation	Interest Defense Bond	Withholding Tax
Amount on hand Feb. 1st. 1944,	\$5 19	\$5 00	\$84 16	\$34 04	\$217 52	\$117 58	\$17 00
Received during the year 1944,		157 46	263 45	30 11	1,500 00	2 50	163 20
Totals,	\$5 19	\$162 46	\$347 61	\$64 15	\$1,717 52	\$120 08	\$180 20
Expenditures during 1944,		132 40	296 22	33 51	1,356 95		180 20
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1945,	\$5 19	\$30 06	\$51 39	\$30 64	\$360 57	\$120 08	



Expenditures during the year are itemized as follows:

	<b>Town Appr.</b>	<b>Amidon Fund</b>	<b>Stearns- Bowker Jones Fund</b>
Librarian's salary,	\$816 00		
Moore-Cottrell,		\$59 70	
H. R. Huntting Co.,	142 38	236 52	
J. S. Wesby & Sons,	39 21		\$17 26
The News Shop,	303 36		
Colton Insurance Agency,	56 00		
The H. W. Wilson Co.,			16 25
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	\$1,356 95	\$296 22	\$33 51

Signed,  
 ERNEST E. ADAMS,  
 Treasurer.

Audited February 2, 1945.

MARION P. WELCH,  
 CHESTER C. LEES,  
 Town Auditors.

## REPORT OF THE PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

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For the fifth consecutive year the Playground Committee reports a successful season. The Recreation Field opened July 3, supervised activities were concluded on August 25. Attendance throughout the season totalled 527. The largest attendance for any one day was 32. However, the grounds were used by many during the evenings and during those hours when the supervisors were not present.

A new activity was available this year in connection with the Playground facilities, that being the swimming pool at Streeter's farm. For a number of winter seasons the pond has been used for skating when the weather permitted. Last spring the pond was dredged, cleaned around the shore line and the bottom filled with sand and gravel. A float was made and depth markers were set. The pond is fed entirely by springs. Samples of the water were sent to the State Board of Health at various times during the season for analysis and each time was reported safe for bathing.

Miss Beulah Howard, student of Keene Teachers College, supervised the swimming program. She also supervised the Playground groups in the mornings assisted by Miss Doris Worden. The playground was open as usual from 9 a. m. to 12 and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. Monday through Friday. The swimming pool was open Monday through Friday from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays the hours were from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. Adults were given permission to use the pool until 8 p. m. without supervision.

The attendance at the pool while under supervision totalled 1,561 persons. The largest daily attendance was 72. The pool opened under supervision on June 29 and closed August 25.

As usual the pond was open for skating during the winter season. Light was provided for those who wished to skate in the evening. Due to lack of funds, no provision was made for supervision of the skating nor were there funds available for removing the snow and keeping the ice in condition. Early in the season some snow was removed voluntarily by the skaters.

In the annex to the club house at the Recreation Field an upper floor was built to provide additional storage facilities. The work was done by Lucian Lerandeau and the high school boys in his manual training class. They were assisted by Playground Caretaker Clifford Hall.

It was with much regret that the Playground Committee received reports of the resignation of Mr. Lerandeau from the Hinsdale school system. He had been associated with the activities of the playground since its origin. In fact, his interest in suitable recreational activities for this town had been manifest many years previous to the formal organization of the Playground Association. We are indeed indebted to Mr. Lerandeau for the time and effort he has given to the development of a recreational program for the children of Hinsdale.

A new piece of equipment was added to the Playground facilities during the year. This was a castle tower provided especially for the enjoyment of the smaller children. It was in constant use during the summer as was all the equipment provided in former years, namely, the swings, slippery slide, shuffle board, teeters and other games.

Eight maple trees were planted on the west side of the field near the fireplace to provide shade for picnic parties. They are approximately 25 feet high and were planted by Aiken Nurseries during October.

The Committee wishes to thank the many individuals and the organizations who have given so generously of their time and energy and who have cooperated so wholeheartedly in the development of our town's planned recreational program during the last year.

Respectfully submitted,

LUCIAN LERANDEAU,  
ROLAND O'NEAL,  
HAROLD HOLLAND,  
HOWARD STREETER,  
FRANK YOUNG,  
ORSON SMITH,  
DANIEL P. WELCH,

Committee.

## TREASURER'S REPORT OF HINSDALE PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION

### Receipts—1943

Cash on hand Feb. 17, 1943,	\$587 07
Profit from Labor Day, etc., 1943,	509 88
Received from Town Playground Fund,	439 15
	<hr/> \$1,536 10

### Disbursements—1943

Caretaker,	\$156 40
Supervision,	105 00
Insurance,	28 13
Supplies,	151 22
General maintenance,	265 68
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1943,	829 67
	<hr/> \$1,536 10

### Certificate Record

Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1943,	\$829 67
Outstanding certificates,	720 00
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Surplus,	\$109 67

HOWARD I. STREETER,  
Treasurer

## TREASURER'S REPORT OF HINSDALE PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION

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### Receipts—1944

Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1943,	\$829 67
Profit from Labor Day, etc., 1944,	774 51
Received from Town Playground Fund,	608 00
	<hr/> \$2,212 18

### Disbursements—1944

Swimming pool,	\$409 32
Storage floor in field house,	119 21
½ hot plate and electric wiring,	34 74
Castle tower,	118 03
Eight Maple trees,	200 00
Caretaker,	187 20
Insurance,	35 62
General maintenance and supplies,	309 37
Supervision,	203 75
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1944,	594 94
	<hr/> \$2,212 18

### Certificate Record

Outstanding certificates Dec. 31, 1944,	\$720 00
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1944,	594 94
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Deficit,	\$125 06

HOWARD I. STREETER,  
Treasurer.



ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
SCHOOL BOARD  
OF  
Hinsdale School District  
FOR  
FISCAL YEAR  
JULY 1, 1943 — JUNE 30, 1944

**THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SCHOOL WARRANT**

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To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Hinsdale qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 13th day of March, 1945, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To see if the District will vote to make any alterations in the report of the School Board recommending the amount of money required for the support of schools and payments of statutory obligations.

Given under our hands at said Hinsdale, this twenty-second day of January, 1945.

HAROLD R. WEEKS,  
MARGARET G. STREETER,  
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,  
School Board.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

HAROLD R. WEEKS,  
MARGARET G. STREETER,  
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,  
School Board.

**HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Budget for 1945-1946**

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School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1945.

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**

Support of schools:	High	Elementary	Total
Teachers' salaries,	\$9,700 00	\$14,300 00	\$24,000 00
Text books,	300 00	400 00	700 00
Scholars' supplies,	550 00	650 00	1,200 00
Flags and appurtenances,	5 00	10 00	15 00
Other expenses of instruction,	75 00	25 00	100 00
Janitor service,	900 00	600 00	1,500 00
Fuel,	800 00	700 00	1,500 00
Water, light and janitors' supplies,	500 00	500 00	1,000 00
Minor repairs and expenses,	500 00	500 00	1,000 00
Health supervision,	75 00	125 00	200 00
Transportation,	1,500 00	1,700 00	3,200 00
Other special activities,	50 00	50 00	100 00
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	\$14,955 00	\$19,560 00	\$34,515 00

**Other statutory requirements:**

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district),	\$450 00
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district),	50 00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union),	708 00
Per capita tax (reported by state treasurer),	672 00
Insurance,	400 00

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\$2,280 00

**Special appropriations:**

New equipment,	\$200 00
Expenses of administration,	600 00
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	\$800 00

Total amount required to meet school board's budget,	\$37,595 00
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**Estimated income of district:**

George-Deen fund,	\$500 00
High school tuition,	200 00
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	\$700 00

Total assessment required to cover school board's budget,	\$36,895 00
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HAROLD R. WEEKS,  
MARGARET G. STREETER,  
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN,  
School Board.

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**OFFICERS AND TEACHERS OF HINSDALE  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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CLARENCE D. FAY, Moderator  
MRS. HAZEL NEES, Clerk  
JESSE W. FIELD, Treasurer  
MARION P. WELCH, Auditor  
CHESTER C. LEES, Moderator

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**School Board**

HAROLD R. WEEKS,	Term expires 1945
MRS. ROGER STREETER,	Term expires 1946
PAUL V. CHAMBERLIN, Chairman,	Term expires 1947

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**Superintendent of Schools**  
CHARLES W. WALKER

Chester C. Lees, headmaster, Harvard University, A. B. 1926  
Brown University, A. M. 1937  
(Mathematics)

Lindsay V. Hall, sub-master, Keene Teachers College, 1942  
(Mechanic Arts and Manual Training)

Barbara Angus (Mrs.), N. E. Conservatory of Music, 1938  
(Music, resigned October 23, 1944)

Walter F. Angus, Boston University, B. Mus., 1934  
Boston University, M. Ed., 1935  
(Music, from January 2, 1945)

Gertrude Stearns (Mrs.), Smith College, 1922  
(English and French)

Isabel Belluscio (Mrs.), Brown University, 1928  
(Science and Mathematics)

Pauleta Hinchey, Mt. Holyoke College, 1935  
(Commerce and Latin)

Filomenia Pitraszkiewicz, Keene Teachers College, 1942  
(Home Economics and English)

Doris B. Smith (Mrs.), Westfield Teachers College, B. S. E., 1937  
Massachusetts State College, M. S., 1938  
(Social Science)

Mary Coll, (Grade 6), Keene Normal, 1921

Gladys Lees (Mrs.), (Grade 1),	Hyannis Normal, 1925
Margaret Coll, (Grade 2),	Keene Normal, Summer School
	1921, 22, 23, 25, 27, 39
Mabel E. Temple, Principal, (Grade 3),	Fitchburg Normal, 1904
Rosetta B. Lowe (Mrs.), (Grade 4),	Keene Normal, 1927
Ismay Campbell (Mrs.), (Grade 5),	Keene Normal, 1916

William L. Rinehart,      University of Pittsburgh, B. S., 1929  
M. A., 1932



# FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE HINSDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1943—June 30, 1944

## REVENUE

### State and Federal Aid

(a) George-Deen fund,	\$1,358 06
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### Income From Local Taxation

(a) For support of elementary schools,	\$17,420 00
(b) For support of high school,	11,975 00
(c) For salaries of district officers, census and superintendent's excess salary,	1,120 00
(d) For payments of per capita tax,	720 00
(e) Other obligation imposed by law or established by district,	1,200 00
(f) Special appropriation,	650 00

Total,	\$33,085 00
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### From Sources Other Than Taxation

(a) High school tuitions,	302 34
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Total receipts from all sources,	\$34,745 40
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1943,	533 28
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Grand total,	\$35,278 68
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## EXPENSES AND OUTLAY

### Salaries of District Officers:

Harold R. Weeks,	\$100 00
Paul V. Chamberlin,	100 00
J. W. Field,	100 00
Margaret G. Streeter,	100 00
Hazel Nees,	5 00
Clarence D. Fay,	5 00

	\$410 00
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**Superintendent's Excess Salary**

Paul V. Chamberlin, Treasurer, Supervisory Union No. 25,	720 00
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**Truant Officer and School Census**

Lucinda O'Connor,	25 00
Frank W. Walker,	20 00
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	45 00

**Expenses of Administration:**

Edward E. Babb & Company, Inc.,	11 15
Jeanne Garfield,	4 60
Annie Kerylow,	3 40
Chester C. Lees (office expenses),	26 70
R. E. Lane,	4 20
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company,	57 15
R. P. Childs Stamp Company,	5 67
Edson C. Eastman Company,	13 23
Paul V. Chamberlin, treasurer, Super- visory Union No. 25,	180 00
National Association of Secondary School Principals,	3 00
Chase's Book Store,	2 00
The News Shop,	7 90
Colton Insurance Agency,	12 50
The Clearing House,	3 00
J. W. Field,	28 26
People's Bus Lines,	5 00
Margaret G. Streeter, (postage and telephone),	5 00
Vermont People's National Bank,	1 24
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	374 00

**Teachers' Salaries**

Chester C. Lees,	2,378 26
Lucian A. Lerandeau,	1,759 30
Carolyn Gove,	1,229 80

Katherine Green,	1,364	55
Doris B. Smith,	1,229	80
Pauleta C. Hinchey,	1,555	80
Isabel Belluscio,	1,224	10
Filomenia Pitraszkiewicz,	1,042	66
Mary Coll,	1,111	88
Ismay Campbell,	979	10
Rosetta B. Lowe,	1,067	54
Mabel E. Temple,	1,025	65
Gladys Lees,	974	39
William L. Rinehart,	350	00
Maud D. Sargeant,	477	63
Marion Powers,	724	61
Ruby Alderman,	46	00
Hazel Rubeor,	466	85
L. Aaronson,	9	90
Mrs. Zavorotny,	32	80
Ruth Howard,	51	25
Florence Kellom,	65	50
Vermont People's National Bank,	2,094	49
Collector of Internal Revenue,	285	23
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	21,547	09

### Text Books

American Book Company,	90	22
Iroquois Publishing Company,	8	13
D. C. Heath and Company,	11	15
Allyn and Bacon,	62	31
Scott, Foresman and Company,	96	20
The Macmillan Company,	75	87
Ginn and Company,	38	58
Silver Burdett Company,	4	65
American Technical Society,	12	42
Houghton Mifflin Company,	9	23
Boston Music Company,	33	90
Gribbon's Music House,	16	40
Bruce Publishing Company,	8	16
Harper and Bros.,	19	93
John C. Winston Company,	35	67

South-Western Publishing Company,	11 10
C. C. Beedle Piano Company,	60
Cadmus Books,	41 67
Rand McNally Company,	3 37
Noble and Noble, Inc.,	13 11
Delta Manufacturing Company,	50
D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc.,	7 37
C. C. Birchard and Company,	2 59
Beckley-Cardy Company,	10 96
Chas. Scribner's Sons,	2 46

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616 55

### Scholars' Supplies

Laidlaw Bros. Inc.,	17 62
National Geographic Society,	4 00
Allyn and Bacon,	16 68
Scott, Foresman and Company,	18 34
The Macmillan Company,	67 47
Edward E. Babb & Company, Inc.,	379 34
Kennesaw Publishing Company,	34 02
Morgan-Dillon Company,	2 67
Bureau of Publications,	15 10
World Book Company,	35 72
First National Stores,	1 79
J. L. Hammett Company,	123 94
C. A. Holland and Son,	47 28
American Education Press, Inc.,	41 30
South-Western Publishing Company,	18 04
Benton Review Publishing Company,	19 39
McCormick-Mathers Publishing Company,	21 46
American Technical Society,	2 40
Beckley-Cardy Company,	9 71
Herman Goldberger Agency,	2 25
J. H. Faught and Son,	2 00
Central Scientific Company,	31 40
Cushman's Kyanize Paint Store,	1 18
H. W. Taylor,	40 54
Carl Larson,	6 16

Ginn and Company,	49
Silver Burdett Company,	13 95
Phillips Paper Company,	20 14
C. C. Beedle Piano Company,	75
Holden and Martin Lumber Company,	32 70
Public School Publishing Company,	6 44
Brodhead-Garrett Company,	23 39
Walberg and Auge,	13 03
Royce Bros. Garage,	1 92
Science Research Associates,	2 20

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1,074 81

### Other Expenses of Instruction

J. L. Hammett Company,	34 24
World Book Company,	1 65
Educational Supply Company,	6 92
School Service Company,	6 00
Science Research Associates,	21 67
Edward E. Babb & Company, Inc.,	6 65
Scott, Foresman and Company,	2 06
Shaw-Walker,	1 60
Gamble Hinged Music Company,	9 99
The Eastern Company,	1 58
University of Chicago Press,	2 49
Prentice-Hall, Inc.,	1 86
C. C. Beedle Piano Company ,	53
Odyssey Press, Inc.,	2 89
Cornell Maritime Press,	1 53
The Northwestern Press,	1 03
New Hampshire State Library,	75
Carl Fischer, Inc.,	3 25
Rand McNally Company,	30
Wilfred Funk, Inc.,	3 67
Sam Fox Publishing Company,	1 39

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112 05

Ralph Hammond,	1,229 13
Ernest Daniels,	85 50

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1,314 63



**Fuel**

Louis I. Allen,	1,459 49
Arthur Rouillard,	42 00

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 1,501 49
**Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies**

Twin State Gas and Electric Company,	320 72
White-Washburne Company, Inc.,	63 06
Edward E. Babb & Company, Inc.,	4 34
Reliable Paper and Supply Company,	5 48
H. W. Taylor,	59 88
C. A. Holland and Son,	7 39
Rochester Germicide Company,	50 10
Hinsdale Water Works,	120 00
Public Service Co. of New Hampshire,	275 72
J. F. Metcalf,	11 00
Du-Ev Products Company, Inc.,	64 15
Milwaukee Dustless Brush Company,	3 80

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 985 64
**Minor Repairs and Expenses**

Holden and Martin Lumber Company,	376 61
Du-Ev Products Company, Inc.,	46 87
Winston F. Nees,	52 00
Ralph Hammond,	10 00
Edward Lerandean,	6 08
Herman A. Hudson,	20 00
Louis I. Allen,	24 40
Granite State Mowing Machine Company,	2 25
H. W. Taylor,	374 38
D. P. Welch,	50 20
C. A. Holland and Son,	1 50
J. H. Faught and Son,	138 48
Royce Bros. Garage,	16 91
Octave Belliveau,	7 50
J. L. Hammett Company,	12 42
Cambosco Scientific Company,	4 12
Gibbon's Music House,	20 29

Leon Campbell,	4 00
C. W. Harris,	12 08
Arthur Rouillard,	3 00
Streeter's Machine Shop,	4 14
J. L. Meisse,	14 00
Stickney Plumbing and Heating Company,	7 00
C. C. Beedle Piano Company,	6 00
Mrs. Charles Lowe,	3 62
Leon Pickett,	2 00
Frederick A. Farrar,	12 50
Henry G. Neugebauer,	129 65
J. E. Mann Company,	13 46
Spencer Hardware Company,	6 77
Walberg and Auge,	8 15
Rex Higgins,	73 82
W. N. Potter Grain Stores, Inc.,	70

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1,464 90

### Health Supervision

Dr. Edmond LaChaine,	150 00
The Hearing Aids Company,	2 33

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152 33

### Transportation of Pupils

R. E. Griffin,	1,390 00
Herman Hudson,	1,138 68

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2,528 68

### Other Special Activities

Music Publishers' Holding Corporation,	\$24 80
Gamble Hinged Music Company,	26 54
Boston Music Company,	79 59
Rubank, Inc.,	3 98
Neil A. Kjos Music Company,	7 65
Holden and Martin Lumber Company,	10 19
New England Tel. & Tel. Company,	4 59
Laconia Music Company,	3 43
C. Chappell and Company, Inc.,	96
Raymond A. Hoffman Company,	2 98

Willis Music Company,	21 80	
Carl Fischer, Inc.,	16 84	
Emil Ascher, Inc.,	11 25	
Gribbon's Music House,	9 33	
C. C. Beedle Piano Company,	50	
	<hr/>	224 43

**Per Capita Tax**

New Hampshire State Treasurer,	720 00
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**Insurance**

Temple Insurance Agency,	92 87	
Colton Insurance Agency,	337 64	
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**New Equipment**

C. C. Beedle Piano Company,	4 70	
Boston Music Company,	6 56	
Gribbon's Music House,	33 09	
Central Scientific Company,	6 06	
Brodhead-Garrett Company,	169 92	
Laconia Music Shop,	8 94	
B. & M. Railroad,	15 45	
Star Paper Fastener Company,	6 00	
J. L. Hammett Company,	5 06	
	<hr/>	255 78

Total payments for all purposes,	\$34,477 89
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1944,	800 79
Grand total,	<hr/> \$35,278 68

**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Hinsdale, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,

Auditors.

July 27, 1944.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1944**

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Cash on hand, June 30, 1943,	\$533 28
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current	
year,	\$33,085 00
Received from state treasurer:	
George-Deen fund,	1,358 06
Received from all other sources,	302 34
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	\$34,745 40
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Total amount available for fiscal year,	\$35,278 68
Less school board orders paid.	34,477 89
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1944,	\$800 79

JESSE W. FIELD,  
District Treasurer.

July 27, 1944.

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**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hinsdale, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and find them correct in all respects.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,  
Auditors.

July 27, 1944.

## REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

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To the Superintendent of Schools:

It is an honor to submit my fourth annual report.

### Faculty Changes:

There were three changes in the high school teaching staff when schools reopened in September. Mr. Lucian A. Lerandean resigned as head of the Mechanic Arts Department to accept a position in Springfield, Vermont. He has been succeeded by Mr. Lindsay V. Hall, a graduate of Keene Teachers College. Miss Katherine Green resigned as head of the English and Modern Language Departments. This position has been filled by Mrs. Gertrude Stearns, a graduate of Smith College.

Miss Carolyn E. Gove resigned her position as Supervisor of Music. Mrs. Walter Angus was elected to this position. Mrs. Angus, a graduate of the Boston Conservatory of Music, came to us from Walpole and Alstead where she taught the preceding year. Mrs. Angus resigned and discontinued teaching on October 23, 1944. She was replaced by Mr. Angus who had received a recent military discharge from the U. S. Army. Mr. Angus is on leave of absence as Supervisor of Music in Berlin, N. H.

### Instruction in the Fundamentals:

There has been a great expansion in Secondary Education during the past 25 years. Subjects are now included in the curriculum of the modern high school which were not found there a few decades ago. Ultra conservative educators have decried loudly at this encroachment of "fads and frills" upon the realm of the traditional subjects. On the other hand educators of the progressive school have maintained that these newer courses were necessary for the universal education of the heterogeneous student body.

The results of tests given by the armed forces to inductees have shown conclusively that they were weak in the fundamentals. This would seem to bear out the contentions of the conservative educators that in at least one field the pendulum



should begin to swing back and that is the field of the fundamentals. The fundamentals are, in the phraseology of an older generation. the three R's.

Reading is perhaps the most important subject taught in our schools. If a high school pupil is deficient in reading ability he cannot be expected to achieve much in content subjects, success in which by their very nature and presentation is dependent upon the ability to recognize and comprehend the written word.

The findings of the Gates Reading Survey administered last year by Supt. Walker indicated that this problem of reading must be attacked here in Hinsdale. To that end your headmaster is at present taking a Harvard-Boston University course in reading and is applying the knowledge so gained in Hinsdale High School. The reading program in the high school will not consist solely of remedial reading. The poorer readers must be provided for and at the same time the better readers must not be neglected. A library of books at various levels of ability is gradually being accumulated to take care of individual differences.

The handwriting of our pupils has improved greatly since Mr. William Rinehart introduced his system in town. Our teachers are doing splendid work in the instruction of writing under Mr. Rinehart's supervision.

Arithmetic and spelling have received their share of attention. More pupils are taking the advanced mathematics courses than ever before.

### **Schools at War Program:**

Last fall the high school pupils and Bridge Street pupils co-operated to fill 35 bags of milk-weed pods. The floss from these pods is used in life jackets for the boys in service. The floss from two bags of pods will fill one life jacket. Our pupils have thus accounted for a little better than 17 jackets and, what is more important, may be responsible for the saving of some lives.

Our pupils again contributed their services in the harvesting of last year's crops. This work was done in accordance with plans formulated by the State Board of Education.

The home Economics classes canned 359 quarts of vegetables and fruits. In connection with the Junior Red Cross program they are making at present :

- 1 afghan.
- 50 bedside bags.
- 10 wash cloths.
- 3 cushion covers.
- 6 soft dolls for English children.

With the exception of the soft dolls, the above are for the boys in service.

The Mechanics Arts Department is making the following for the armed forces :

- 50 cribbage boards.
- 50 lap boards.
- 25 ash trays.

Purchase of War Stamps and Bonds through January 18, 1945.

Grade	Amount
6	\$817 50
7	63 20
8	174 90
9	181 60
10	233 50
11	103 80
12	119 50
Total,	<hr/> \$1,694 00

### Extra Curricular Activities :

The Junior Class sponsored a Halloween dance in October which was well attended. In December the Senior Class put on a Winter Carnival dance which was both novel and very successful.

A Christmas concert was held in December under the direction of Mr. Walter Angus. The high school band, girls' chorus, boys' glee club and grade school pupils all participated in the program which was greatly enjoyed by a capacity audience.

A Sophomore dance was scheduled for January. This was followed by the Senior Fair in February. Mrs. Gertrude Stearns is dramatic coach this year and is directing the Seniors in producing "The Bat."

Mr. Angus has started a high school dance orchestra which will make a public appearance in the spring. Another concert will also be given in March.

Extra curricular activities are part of the life of a high school pupil. In so far as possible we strive to have at least one each month.

### **Miscellaneous:**

The problems of attendance and punctuality continue to plague the administration of the school. Parents are urged to impress upon their children the value of having good attendance and punctuality records.

The school plant is being kept in excellent condition by Mr. William Kilhart.

The annual physical examinations were conducted by Dr. Edmond Lachaine and Miss Frances Sikoski.

A cordial invitation is extended to parents and interested citizens to visit the school at any time. A discussion of mutual problems will be welcomed by the faculty.

### **Class Roll:**

As a matter of record, the names of the members of the graduating class of 1944 are included here.

Napoleon Albert Blouin	Jeanne Eleanor Garfield
Rosemary Anne Bombay	Berniece Oura Hastings
Helen Carolyn Boroski	Beulah Ann Howard
Lila Mary Bouchie	Richard Snow Johnson
Raymond Josef Boyko	Annie Katherine Kerylow
May Torrey Carpenter	Yvonne Elaine Kilhart
Lucius Stearns Delano	Stella Katherine Kolodziej
Julia Anne Duggan	Cecilia Marie La Pointe
Mary Martha Farnham	Theresa Marie Lehane

Shirley May Perry

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the pupils and parents, to the faculty, to Superintendent Walker and to the Hinsdale Board of Education for their loyalty and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER C. LEES,

Headmaster.

January 18, 1945, Hinsdale, N. H.

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## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Hinsdale :

I have the honor to submit my seventh annual report.

**Teachers:** The difficulty of securing teachers for a small town is evidenced by the fact that none was available for the Plains School in the fall. Consequently, it was found necessary by the School Board to close this school and transport the children to the Bridge Street School.

At the Bridge Street School, Miss Margaret Coll returned to her work in the second grade after a year's leave of absence.

Headmaster Lees' report gives the faculty changes in the High School building.

For a few years to come, at least, it is probable that the smaller rural centers will have to depend on local women, many of them married, to carry on the work in the schools as the enrollment in the various teachers colleges is much below average. What graduates there are from these training schools, they refuse, with rare exceptions, to teach in rural schools or in towns where, in general, the salary scales are much lower than in the larger towns.

**Transportation:** The following changes were made in the transportation routes :

**North Hinsdale:** It was found necessary to have Griffin's bus make two full trips in order to carry pupils to the Bridge Street School and High School. The hours in the schools were staggered in order that the children in the lower grades could



go on the second trip in the morning and return on the first in the afternoon. This arrangement seems to be working satisfactorily.

**Chesterfield and Northfield Route:** Mr. Herman Hudson resigned as conveyer on these routes in January. They were taken over by Mr. Orson Smith. Mr. Hudson had given successful service over a number of years and, I am sure, that Mr. Smith will continue the same kind of efficient service.

All conveyors are still subject to the rules and regulations set up by the Office of Defense Transportation concerning mileage and stops.

**Health Education:** According to an editorial in the Concord Daily Monitor on January 26, 1945, the selective service survey of rejections does not flatter New Hampshire where 38.9 per cent of those called for induction were not accepted. This compares with a national average of 36 per cent with the lowest rate of rejections being in the newer states of the Union, all west of the Mississippi River and in the central or northern tier of these states. In New England, Vermont has the worst showing though the other states in this region are only slightly better than New Hampshire. An analysis by occupations revealed the fact that the greatest percentage of rejections were among farmers and domestic workers as a group.

Also, the State Board of Health has revealed the fact that the people of New Hampshire have about the poorest teeth in the nation and that poor teeth can and do cause other troubles.

The children of Hinsdale are examined once a year by a doctor appointed by the School Board. He is assisted by the District Nurse who is also responsible for follow-up work and visiting the homes in order to advise parents concerning the correction of defects.

The audiometer test for hearing has been given under the supervision of the District Nurse for the last three years. Several cases of deafness have been found which would warrant clinical treatment.

Also, sporadic attempts have been made to better the condition of the teeth of the children by securing the services



of a dentist. For instance, in May, 1942, Dr. Harvey Grimes of Keene treated 115 children at the clinic held in Hinsdale.

Like most other good things in life, good health can only come through continuous, constructive and cooperative action. Poor teeth, no doubt, can be corrected by visiting the dentist once every three years but a more satisfactory plan would be to visit him more often and, in the meantime, brush the teeth at least daily. Poor vision may be corrected to some degree by the oculist but many cases, no doubt, could be prevented if adequate artificial lighting was provided in the homes and schools of the children. Poor dietary conditions can be remedied in part through the use of vitamin pills but a more satisfactory solution in the case of children, at least, would be to provide balanced meals.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the pupils and teachers, to the School Board and to the parents and patrons of our schools for their loyalty and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. WALKER,

Superintendent of Schools.

February 8, 1945, Winchester, N. H.

## **HONOR ROLL**

### **HINSDALE HIGH SCHOOL**

Ida Dodge,	Grade 11
Roger Covey,	Grade 10
Viola Sikoski,	Grade 9
Mary Smith,	Grade 9
Harold Stevens,	Grade 9
Doris Worden,	Grade 9
Albert Barrett,	Grade 8
Doris Burbeck,	Grade 8
Edith Butler,	Grade 8
Joan Pelkey,	Grade 8
Maxine Jablonski,	Grade 7
Valerie Valley,	Grade 7
Theresa LaPointe,	Grade 6
Evelyn Vanasse,	Grade 6

## BRIDGE STREET SCHOOL

Corinne Rouillard,	Grade 5
Nelson Hudson,	Grade 4
Janet McAuliffe,	Grade 4
Robert LaChance,	Grade 3
Ronald Stanclift,	Grade 3

## PLAINS SCHOOL

Philip Covey,	Grade 3
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**STATISTICAL TABLES OF HINSDALE SCHOOLS**  
1943-1944

School	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Tardiness	Visits by Citizens	Not absent or tardy
High :							
Grades 9-12	83	72.62	76.39	95.06	214	( ) 6 (36)	
Grades 7-8	68	59.91	63.67	94.09	64	( ) 6	
Grade 6	28	23.25	24.74	93.98	16	0 2	
Bridge St. :							
Grade 5	31	27.74	29.49	94.06	40	4 1	
Grade 4	22	20.66	21.96	94.08	9	14 2	
Grade 3	33	28.02	29.14	96.15	10	8 0	
Grade 2	27	23.80	25.48	93.40	26	1 2	
Grade 1	28	22.81	24.81	91.93	13	7 0	
Plains :							
Grades 1-5	21	16.50	18.41	89.62	8	31 1	
Totals,	341	295.31	314.09	93.60	400	101 20	

# HEALTH REPORT

## 1944

Defects Found	High School	Bridge Street School	Totals
Defective vision,	10	8	18
Defective hearing,	6	2	8
Nervous condition,	1	0	1
Cardiac disease,	4	4	8
Deformity,	1	0	1
Defective teeth,	30	28	58
Diseased tonsils,	6	12	18
Adenoids,	6	12	18
Defective speech,	0	0	0
Totals,	28	55	130

# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HINSDALE ON DECEMBER 31, 1944

Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Dec. 16, 1920	Frederick A. Adams	U. S. Bond	\$100.00	2½	\$1.49	\$2.50	\$3.00	\$ .99
Jan. 4, 1929	Oliver Adams	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	4.19	5.00	5.00	4.14
Dec. 11, 1916	Wm. B. Adams*	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	18.36	3.75	9.00	13.11
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Mechanics Savings Bank	2,500.00	2½	16.00	63.28	71.45	7.83
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Manchester Savings Bank	2,106.53	2½		51.68		
Apr. 5, 1916	Mary A. Arnold	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2½	7.90	2.51	3.50	6.91
Mar. 16, 1913	Lucretia Atwood	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.52	2.50	2.50	.52
Jan. 24, 1943	Atwood & Butler	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	1.00	5.00	4.00	2.00
Apr. 22, 1935	Bailey & Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.17	2.50	2.50	.17
July 1, 1916	Emma F. Barrett*	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	15.22	3.75	9.00	9.97
Nov. 17, 1937	Katherine J. Barrett*	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	10.35	2.50	3.00	9.85
Sept. 5, 1908	Martha A. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.35	2.50	2.50	.35
July 20, 1943	Walter H. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.25	2.50	2.50	1.25
Feb. 4, 1919	Wm. B. Barrett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.28	2.50	2.50	.78
Oct. 3, 1921	Adelia M. Barrows	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	56.94	7.50	3.00	64.44
Mar. 26, 1934	Barrows & Bolton	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2½	1.51	2.51	3.00	1.02
May 24, 1906	Edward Blanchard	Monadnock Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.67	2.26	2.50	.43
Nov. 12, 1921	Bowker & Stratton*	U. S. Bond	300.00	2½	9.42	3.75	7.50	5.67
July 1, 1927	Delia H. Boyden	Monadnock Savings Bank	500.00	2½	13.74	11.31	13.00	12.05
Feb. 1, 1929	Bradford Britton	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.11	2.50	3.00	.61
Aug. 8, 1928	Fred A. Buckley	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	1.01	2.50	2.50	1.01
Oct. 11, 1916	J. H. Burns	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.49	2.51	2.50	.50
Sept. 9, 1924	Eva Burnham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		2.50	2.50	
Jan. 10, 1936	Foster Butler	U. S. Bond	600.00	2½		15.01		15.01
Jan. 19, 1936	Butler & Blanchard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.10	2.50	2.50	.10
Jan. 9, 1932	A. W. Cady	Manchester Savings Bank	190.00	2½	10.99	4.78	5.00	10.77
May 10, 1937	Carey & Howe*	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	12.46	2.50	3.50	11.46
July 16, 1916	Sophira A. Clark	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.59	2.51	2.50	.60

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July 29, 1929	Abbie C. Cook	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	3.59	2.50	3.00	3.09
Dec. 30, 1940	Charles Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	1.99	3.75	3.50	3.24
May 19, 1923	Louie H. Davenport	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	3.00	2.50	3.00	2.50
Oct. 15, 1936	Sylvester Davenport	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	1.43	3.75	3.00	2.18
Aug. 29, 1923	Wm. Dickinson*	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	8.98	2.50	4.50	6.98
Sept. 30, 1921	Addie E. Dix	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.11	2.50	2.50	.11
Nov. 1, 1911	Eliza N. Dunham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.07	2.50	2.50	.07
Jan. 22, 1941	Ira Leroy Dunham	U. S. Bond	250.00	2 1/2	5.83	6.25	4.50	7.58
Sept. 20, 1923	Elmore & Cooper	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	5.84	3.75	4.50	5.09
Mar. 27, 1936	Frank Elliott	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	16.24	5.02	4.50	16.76
Dec. 29, 1943	Sanford A. Emerson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		5.00	3.00	2.00
Aug. 22, 1930	Delia D. Estey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	4.16		3.50	3.16
July 27, 1914	George E. Estey	U. S. Bond	450.00	2 1/2	29.62	11.25	11.50	29.37
Oct. 25, 1919	Lemuel A. Fales	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.56	2.50	3.00	.06
Sept. 14, 1929	Alexander Ferguson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	8.09	2.50	3.50	7.09
Nov. 26, 1930	E. D. Fisk	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.40	2.50	2.50	.40
Oct. 2, 1942	Charles A. Fletcher	Cheshire County Savings Bank	125.00	2 1/2	2.62	3.14		5.76
Jan. 5, 1927	Lonnie Frazier	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.90	2.50	2.50	2.90
June 1, 1936	Geo. Goodwin & Frank Thomas	U. S. Bond	900.00	2 1/2		22.50		
May 27, 1931	Lorenzo Goss	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.86	2.50	3.00	1.36
Aug. 24, 1937	Haile & Stebbins	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	4.56	7.50	8.00	4.06
Apr. 4, 1938	Albert L. Hall	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.92	2.50	2.50	2.92
Nov. 11, 1943	Clifton B. Hall	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2		3.75	2.50	1.25
July 6, 1931	Doolittle Hancock*	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	11.40		5.00	8.90
Mar. 10, 1944	E. A. Hardy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		1.25		1.25
June 14, 1927	Henry Higginson	Monadnock Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	4.22	3.38	3.50	4.10
Aug. 10, 1939	Edwin Hildreth	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.09	2.50	2.50	2.09
July 25, 1927	Holland & Holton	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	3.44	5.00	5.00	3.44
Nov. 12, 1920	Jason R. Holman*	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	24.57	6.25	16.00	14.82
Feb. 23, 1917	Holton & Nims	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	1.56	3.77	4.50	.83
Sept. 28, 1927	George C. Hopkins	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	2.20	3.75	3.50	2.45
Aug. 10, 1922	James & Elbridge Horton	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	19.59	7.54	9.50	17.63
May 24, 1916	Hezekiah Horton	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	8.86	5.00	5.50	8.36
Dec. 4, 1928	F. W. Hosford	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	4.56	3.75	4.00	4.31
Aug. 7, 1932	Junietta B. Howe	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	7.15	5.00	4.50	7.65
Nov. 25, 1922	George E. Howe	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.70	2.50	3.50	.70
Apr. 17, 1930	Cabert J. Hubbard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.32	2.50	3.50	.32
Aug. 6, 1926	Charles J. Hubbard	Monadnock Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.37	2.26	3.00	2.63
Oct. 9, 1920	Joseph A. Hyatt	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	4.30	2.50	3.00	3.80
Mar. 22, 1922	George H. & Sophira S. Ide	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.13	2.51	2.50	.14
June 22, 1912	E. D. Jeffords	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.37	2.50	2.50	.37
May 28, 1923	John Jeffords	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	6.57	3.75	4.00	6.32

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Date of Creation	Name of Cemetery Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Apr. 25, 1935	Fred Hooker Jones	U. S. Bond and Cheshire County Savings Bank	2,128.50	2 1/2	69.20	53.23	82.90	39.53
June 10, 1914	Julia W. Jones	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	19.34	2.51	5.50	16.35
July 1, 1939	Willie King	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.47	2.50	3.00	.97
Sept. 4, 1929	Charles H. H. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.09	2.50	2.50	.09
June 17, 1944	Phillip G. Langille	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		1.25		1.25
Apr. 21, 1931	Kufus Langworthy	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.27	2.50	2.50	.27
Jan. 25, 1929	Mary LeBert	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	12.37	5.00	6.50	10.87
Sept. 18, 1917	George W. Lewis	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.30	2.51	2.50	.31
Jan. 14, 1931	Samuel Liscom	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	2.88	3.75	3.50	3.13
May 5, 1928	Forrest S. Lowell	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.50	2.50	2.50	.50
May 19, 1920	Elizabeth W. Markey	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	17.44	2.50	5.50	14.44
July 18, 1931	Anna Marsh	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.03	2.50	2.50	.03
July 1, 1941	Muzzey & Bardwell	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	3.10	3.75	3.50	3.35
Feb. 22, 1930	Margaret C. Myers	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	3.19	2.50	3.00	2.69
Apr. 18, 1918	Amos J. Newstead	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	12.45	3.75	5.00	11.20
July 7, 1927	Dennis C. Nims	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.48	2.50	3.00	1.98
Mar. 4, 1929	O'Neal & Stearns	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	10.83	3.75	3.50	11.08
Nov. 19, 1914	Charles Owen	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	1.37	5.02	3.00	3.39
Mar. 25, 1943	Fred M. Perkins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Nov. 16, 1929	Emma Peterson	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	8.84	2.50	8.50	2.84
Nov. 10, 1933	Augusta H. Pike	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	1.71	2.51	3.00	1.22
Aug. 6, 1923	G. H. & C. M. Pike	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	2.42	5.00	3.50	3.92
Jan. 7, 1932	Charles and Fred Polley	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	.93	3.75	4.00	.68
Jan. 11, 1907	Emma Rice	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.70	2.50	3.00	1.20
Jan. 8, 1919	Henry A. Richardson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	13.70	5.00	5.50	13.20
Mar. 2, 1930	Gilbert Richmond	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	4.78	5.00	4.50	5.28
May 23, 1925	Edwin C. Robertson	Monadnock Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/4	4.02	4.52	4.50	4.04
Dec. 18, 1918	George A. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	82.48	5.00	12.00	75.48
Feb. 10, 1917	Orren C. Robertson	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	24.70	12.50	10.00	27.20
Oct. 1, 1929	Winifred F. Robertson	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	2.30	5.00	6.00	1.30
Apr. 15, 1938	Henry A. Royce	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	7.35	5.00	3.50	8.85

Sept.	25, 1925	Sarah H. Saben	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.39	5.00	7.00	4.39
Dec.	24, 1920	D. L. Sanderson	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	10.90	5.02	5.00	10.92
June	22, 1926	Sargeant & Pifer	Monadnock Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/4	13.83	4.52	5.00	13.35
Jan.	14, 1927	Harriette A. Savage	Monadnock Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/4	.42	2.26	2.50	.18
May	22, 1925	John E. Scott	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	13.19	2.52	3.50	12.19
Nov.	2, 1915	Mary B. Searle	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	8.88	5.02	5.00	8.90
Nov.	6, 1925	George E. Shattuck	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.30	5.00	7.50	3.80
Dec.	21, 1914	Louise N. Shepard	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.07	2.50	3.50	.07
Nov.	4, 1920	Sheridan Post N. 14, G. A. R.	Keene Savings Bank	272.72	2 1/2	.24	6.85	7.00	.09
Aug.	5, 1920	George P. Slate	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	12.86	5.02	5.50	12.38
July	31, 1919	Cora H. Smith	Mechanics Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	9.15	5.06	4.50	9.71
May	1, 1944	Irving Smith	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
June	7, 1925	Daniel H. Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.13	2.50	2.50	.13
Oct.	19, 1916	Mary Hooker Smith	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.51	2.50	.01
Dec.	11, 1933	Orson G. Smith	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2		2.51	2.51	
Oct.	27, 1926	Pardon Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.30	2.50	3.00	.80
Apr.	30, 1926	Thomas Smith	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.21	2.50	2.50	.21
June	7, 1944	James & Joel Snow	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
Jan.	30, 1925	John G. Snow	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.11	2.50	2.50	.11
June	10, 1939	James Spencer*	U. S. Bond and Claremont Savings Bank	933.50	2 1/2	73.59	17.14	9.00	81.73
Mar.	19, 1937	Halsey Sprague	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	3.63	2.50	2.50	3.63
Aug.	23, 1916	Althea M. Stearns	U. S. Bond	500.00	2 1/2	61.00	12.50	13.00	60.50
Dec.	4, 1939	Dwight & Willis Stearns	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	3.51	5.00	3.50	5.01
May	2, 1923	Newton Stearns	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.50	2.50	3.00	1.00
Jan.	30, 1913	Edward Stebbins	Walpole Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2		5.02	5.00	9.64
Jan.	19, 1918	Eliza A. Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	7.72	5.00	5.00	7.72
May	5, 1906	Lorenzo Stebbins	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	6.17	5.00	6.00	5.17
Mar.	25, 1929	Dora A. Stratton	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.36	2.50	2.50	.36
May	9, 1941	Lewis Taylor	U. S. Bond	200.00	2 1/2	12.98	5.00	8.50	9.48
Jan.	1, 1927	Prentiss W. Taylor	U. S. Bond	300.00	2 1/2	8.44	7.50	4.00	11.94
July	1, 1927	William Taylor	Monadnock Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/4	.30	2.26	2.50	.06
Dec.	14, 1920	William P. Taylor	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	1.13	2.50	3.00	.63
Jan.	18, 1912	Taylor & Blodgett	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	.32	2.50	2.50	.32
May	3, 1934	Charles & Mary Thomas	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.51	2.51	2.51	
May	14, 1930	Frank W. Tilden	U. S. Bond	150.00	2 1/2	9.94	3.75	3.50	10.19
Apr.	17, 1934	Walter C. Todd	Monadnock Savings Bank	400.00	2 1/4	41.13	9.05	10.50	39.68
Sept.	2, 1915	James O. Tuttle	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.50	2.51	3.00	.01
May	27, 1910	Albert W. Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	4.00	2.50	3.50	3.00
July	20, 1908	E. Warren Tyler	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2		2.50	2.50	
July	20, 1908	Tyler & Barber	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.40	2.51	2.50	.41
Jan.	29, 1923	Ellen V. Upham	U. S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2	2.20	2.50	3.50	1.20

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Date of Creation	How Invested Name of Cemetery	Trust Fund	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Feb. 28, 1944	Wm. G. Wallace	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½		1.25		1.25
Nov. 8, 1944	Wm. E. Watson	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2½				15.30
Mar. 15, 1937	Robert A. Weeks	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½	13.30	5.00	3.00	.60
Feb. 11, 1939	Eva Fuller Wellman	Cheshire County Savings Bank	150.00	2½	.33	3.77	3.50	1.25
Sept. 9, 1924	George & Alonzo Wellman	Monadnock Savings Bank	150.00	2½	1.87	3.38	4.00	.81
Sept. 21, 1914	George A. Wheeler	Walpole Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.80	2.51	2.50	.32
July 30, 1928	Katherine Wilkins	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	5.89	2.50	3.00	2.50
Feb. 4, 1933	Chas. H. Wood	U. S. Bond	100.00	2½	.32	2.50	2.50	.42
Mar. 15, 1944	H. Ralph Wood	U. S. Bond	200.00	2½		2.50		.97
June 12, 1912	Irene F. Wood	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.42	2.51	2.50	.01
July 26, 1917	Helen A. Worder	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.96	2.51	2.50	.50
Jan. 5, 1943	Wyman & Leland	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.49	2.51	2.50	
Oct. 21, 1916	Edwin S. Wright	Cheshire County Savings Bank	100.00	2½				
			\$32,706.25		\$1069.27	\$711.56	\$752.37	\$1028.46

# LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation	Name of Library Trust Fund Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	U. S. Bonds	\$5,000.00	2½	\$125.00	\$125.00		
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Dartmouth Savings Bank	2,500.00	2¼	56.56	56.56		
Apr. 23, 1923	Annie E. Amidon	Sugar River Savings Bank	2,500.00	2¾	69.21	69.21		
Nov. 12, 1921	Harrison M. Bowker	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½	12.50	12.50		
July 12, 1916	Henry A. Jones	U. S. Bond	500.00	2½	12.50	12.50		
Apr. 30, 1910	Althea M. Stearns	Walpole Savings Bank	203.61	2½	5.11	5.11		
			\$11,203.61		\$280.88	\$280.88		

## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

RAY FLETCHER,  
ROBERT A. WEEKS,  
MAUDE E. TAYLOR,

Trustees of Trust Funds.

January 31, 1945

The foregoing report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Hinsdale, audited and found correct.

MARION P. WELCH,  
CHESTER C. LEES,

Town Auditors.

February 3, 1945.



# VITAL STATISTICS

By request of the Selectmen there is herewith a transcript of the births, marriages and deaths as recorded in the Town of Hinsdale for the year ending December 31, 1944.

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.					
1944								
Jan. 8	Sheila Marie	F	L	George A. Varney	Marvel P. Perry	Tannery emp.	Cambridge Jct., Vt.	Moultonboro
" 12	John Joseph, Jr.	M	L	John J. Zywna	Mildred P. Pelech	Farmer	Hinsdale	Hathfield, Mass.
" 18	Nancy Linda	F	L	Roland H. O'Neal	Virginia Richardson	Mill manager	Keene	Hinsdale
" 20	Sheila Lorraine	F	L	George N. Hastings	Merierose O. Bassette	Farmer	New Bedford, Mass.	Hinsdale
Feb. 6	Joseph Albert	M	L	Joseph Fostyk	Anna M. Pelech	Farmer	Hinsdale	Poland
" 13	Lawrence Alan	M	L	Walter F. Slicer	Rena J. Watson	Optical plant emp.	Townshend, Vt.	E. Craftsbury, Vt.
" 15	Charles Daniel	M	L	Prescott N. Buckley	Bertha Standclift	Fireman	South Vernon, Vt.	Eastport, Me.
" 17	Bonnie Lea	F	L	Nelson N. Eubor	Beulah J. Ladue	Machine tender	Walpole	Rochester, Vt.
" 24	Arnold Edward, Jr.	M	L	Arnold E. Dixon	Mary Walker	Restaurant prop.	Hinsdale	Swanton, Vt.
Mar. 12	Judith Ann	F	L	Edwin W. Swanson	Marcia B. Standclift	Machinist	Hinsdale	Proctor, Vt.
Apr. 9	Robert Lee	M	L	Elmer W. Fuller	Harriet M. Ring	Order supervisor	West Dummerston, Vt.	Hinsdale
" 6	Allen Aaro, Jr.	M	L	Allen A. Pelto	Mabel B. Gardner	Machinist	Winchester	Fitzwilliam
May 11	William, Jr.	M	L	William Butynski	Stella J. Zavorotny	Navy	Hinsdale	Wilmington, Del.
" 18	Peter William	M	L	Peter Zavorotny	Marjorie Fay	Thread grinder	Hinsdale	Austria
" 24	Brenda Lea	F	L	Isaham O. Owen	Hazel H. Hamm	Paper maker	Auburn, Mass.	Hinsdale
" 27	Anne Lea	F	L	Ralph I. Wilder	Lillian G. Wright	Woodchopper	Springfield, Mass.	Hinsdale
June 2	Joyce Elaine	F	L	Elmer P. Weeks	Martha I. Stetson	Paper maker	Winchester	Hinsdale
" 13	Kenneth Allen, Jr.	M	L	Kenneth A. Harvey	Grace L. Freeman	Section man	Hinsdale	Hinsdale
July 8	Francis Philip	M	L	George C. Glass	Josephine J. Lee	Junk dealer	Brattleboro, Vt.	Greenfield, Mass.
" 9	Robert Gilbert	M	L	Hermon G. Momaney	Mildred G. Rouillard	Painter	Hinsdale	Canada



# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.					
July 21	Earline Ardice	F	L	1	Earl A. Clark	Ardice Taylor	Army	Greenfield, Mass.	Wilmington, Vt.
" 25	William John, Jr.	M	L	1	Wm. J. Buraczynski	Stephanie Sytnik	Paper maker	So. Deerfield, Mass.	Hinsdale
Aug. 10	Michael Stephen	M	L	3	Henry M. Wojchick	Mary S. Jasienowski	Cotton mill emp	Manville, N. J.	Adams, Mass.
Sept. 18	Robert Stephen, Jr.	M	L	3	Robert S. Goss	Eva D. Rice	Optical plant emp	Hinsdale	Randolph, Vt.
Oct. 21	Lillian Frances	F	L	3	Harold F. Blair	Harriet F. Allen	Truck driver	Newberry, Vt.	Warwick, Mass.
" 31	Joyce Lena	F	L	2	Reginald G. Gove	Esther M. Richards	Foreman Opt. Co.	So. Deerfield, Mass.	Dorchester, Mass.
Nov. 18	David Ernest	M	L	2	Delmour E. Brooks	Alice M. Roder	Optical plant emp.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Wolfeboro
" 27	Louise Georgette	F	L	2	Hector L. Lamy	Loretta J. Beaudin	Paper maker	Grand River, P. Q.	Shawinigan Falls, P. Q.

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom mar- ried.
1944										
Jan. 15	Hinsdale	Edward J. McCormick	Hinsdale	25	Army	Hinsdale	Jas. N. McCormick	Conway, Ms.	1st	Rv T W Cushing
		Eleanor M. Streeter	Hinsdale	21	Clerk	Hinsdale	Meta O. Bailey	Hinsdale	1st	Hinsdale
Jan. 21	Hinsdale	Delmour E. Brooks	Hinsdale	25	Laborer	Wolfeboro	Margaret Burke	Turners Fs, Ms.	1st	Rv H E Hood
		Alice M. Piette	Hinsdale	24	Inspector	Brattleboro, Vt.	Ray'd W. Brooks	Eaton	2d	Hinsdale
Feb. 12	Winchester	Edward Kopczynski	Hinsdale	18	Navy	Chicopee Falls, Mass.	Della J. Brown	Freedom	1st	Rv E E Brodeur
		Cecilia Baronoski	Winchester	17	At home	Winchester	Adam H. Roder	Hinsdale	1st	Winchester
Mar. 11	Hinsdale	Jos. W. Graveline	Greenfield, Ms.	23	Navy	Palmer, Ms.	— Kopczynski	Chelsea, Vt.	1st	Rv T W Cushing
		Muriel Laird Ring	Hinsdale	24	Laboratory asst.	Brattleboro, Vt.	Josephine —	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
Apr. 1	Hinsdale	Raymond E. Woodin	Turners Falls, Mass.	36	Paper mkr.	Holyoke, Ms.	Josephine —	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
		Helen M. Lepporoli	Millers Falls, Mass.	31	At home	Marlboro, Vt.	Anthony Baronoski	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
Apr. 3	Hinsdale	Edward Bezanson	Brattleboro, Vt.	21	Navy	Ashuelot	Mary Leminski	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
		Rosella Carpenter	Brattleboro, Vt.	18	House work	Brattleboro, Vt.	Jos. T. Graveline	Indian Ochd, Ms	1st	Hinsdale,
Apr. 7	Brattleboro, Vt	Louis Cherwa	Hinsdale	25	Navy	Northampton, Ms	Ruth E. Williams	Calais, Vt.	1st	Hinsdale,
		Helen T. Wrobel	Brattleboro, Vt.	23	Textile wkr.	Three Riv., Can.	Francis Ring	Prince Edw., Isle	1st	Hinsdale,
Apr. 8	Hinsdale	Thomas F. Hennessey	Greenfield, Ms.	42	Truck driver	Greenfield, Ms.	Helen Hibbett	Hillsdale, N. Y.	1st	Hinsdale,
		Nellie V. Carey	Greenfield, Ms.	39	At home	Shutesbury, Ms.	Edw'd C. Woodin	Groton, Ct.	1st	Hinsdale,
							Mabel Rosa	Eastford, Ct.	1st	Hinsdale,
							Truman A. Stevens	Marlboro, Vt.	1st	Hinsdale,
							Lena M. Hescock	Nova Scotia	1st	Hinsdale,
							Wm. T. Bezanson	Roxbury, Ms.	1st	Hinsdale,
							Lula H. Copeland	Ashuelot	1st	Hinsdale,
							John Carpenter	Hinsdale	1st	Hinsdale,
							Gladys Smith	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Louis Cherwa	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Annie Cimek	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Michael Wrobel	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Mary Osiolek	Poland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Thos. Hennessey	Ireland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Mary Hickey	Ireland	1st	Hinsdale,
							Frazier Z. Carey	Coldrain, Ms.	1st	Hinsdale,
							Ida M. Smith	Stokerville, N. Y.	1st	Hinsdale,

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Apr. 15	Hinsdale	Thos. A. Bebbington	Lowell, Ms.	55	Leather wkr.	England	Alfred Bebbington	England	2d	Rv T W Cushing
		Elizabeth T. Crawford	Hinsdale	52	Paper finisher	Hinsdale	Mary A. Hobbin	England	2d	Hinsdale
May 21	Hinsdale	Harold F. Blair	Hinsdale	40	Truck driver	Warwick, Ms.	Wm. Redding	Ireland	2d	Hinsdale
		Harriet F. Allen	Hinsdale	20	Housework	Newbury, Vt.	Ellen Broshan	Ireland	2d	O G Smith, J P
June 17	Greenfield, Ms.	Th'dore G. Richards'n	Greenfield, Ms.	21	Machinist	Greenfield, Ms.	Edward Thair	Baldwinsville, Ms.	2d	Hinsdale
		Janet M. Nadeau	Hinsdale	26	Inspector	Hinsdale	Hattie Stoddard	Newbury, Vt.	1st	Rv G K Carter
Aug. 10	Hinsdale	George F. Slicer	E. Craftsbury, Vt.	20	Army	Craftsbury, Vt.	Aaron Allen	Plainfield	2d	Greenfield, Ms.
		Theresa M. Lehane	Hinsdale	18	Factory wkr.	Hinsdale	Gilbert Rich'dson	Morrisville, Vt.	1st	Rv T P Mason
Oct. 21	Hinsdale	Alton L. Burdo	Hinsdale	21	Navy	Brattleboro, Vt.	Beatrice E. Carr	Craftsbury, Vt.	1st	Hinsdale
		Bernice O. Hastings	Hinsdale	18	Tel opr.	Hinsdale	John Postuzenski	Hadley, Ms.	1st	Hinsdale
Oct. 28	Hinsdale	Stanley J. Robare	Hinsdale	25	Laborer	Plattsburg, N. Y.	Eva Kozyra	Moore's Fks, N Y	1st	Rv T P Mason
		Mattie E. McDonald	Hinsdale	24	Laborer	Hinsdale	Frederick Slicer	Moore's Fks, N Y	1st	Hinsdale
Oct. 28	Hinsdale	Stephen Zavorotny	Hinsdale	23	Farmer	Hinsdale	Ruth Morse	New Bedford, Ms.	1st	Rv T P Mason
		Teania M. Morrill	Strafford	17	At home	Portland, Me.	James F. Lehane	Cadyville, N. Y.	1st	Hinsdale
Nov. 6	Hinsdale	Howard W. Washburn	Greenfield, Ms.	25	Truck driver	Greenfield, Ms.	Agnes Waterman	Rouses Pt., N. Y.	1st	Hinsdale
		Bernice M. Dean	Amherst, Ms.	20	Student nurse	Holyoke, Ms.	Frederick Burdo	Brandon, Vt.	1st	Hinsdale
							Delia M. LaValley	Austria	1st	Rv T P Mason
							Merierose Bassette	Boston, Mass.	1st	Hinsdale
							Arthur Robare	Richmond, Me.	1st	O G Smith, J P
							Alma Barcomb	Williamsburg, Ms	1st	Hinsdale
							Carrol McDonald	Scotland	1st	Hinsdale
							Ada Smith			
							John Zavorotny			
							Martha Paduchak			
							Chas. C. Morrill			
							Marion B. Barter			
							Henry Washburn			
							E. Margaret Hill			
							Harold F. Dean			
							Mary Macdonald			

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Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Nov. 18	Brattleboro, Vt	Morton A. Coons	Hinsdale	21	Marine	Hinsdale	Elmer F. Coons Bessie Stetson	New Hampshire Brattleboro, Vt.	1st	Rv K R Hutchinson Brattleboro, Vt.
		Eleanor I. Chandler	Brattleboro, Vt.	18	Typist	Brattleboro, Vt.	Elwood Chandler Eleanor Streeter	Brattleboro, Vt. Bernardston, Ms.	1st	Rv H E Hood
Dec. 18	Hinsdale	Walter C. Stancilift	Hinsdale	29	Logging	Hinsdale	Cleveland Stancilift Clara B. Allen	Westfield, Ms. Sherman Mls, Me.	1st	Hinsdale
		Helena M. Emmons	Hinsdale	19	Optical plant emp	Hinsdale	Edward Emmons Mary Fontaine	Walpole	1st	

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.



# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S, M., W.*	Father.	Mother.		
1944											
Jan. 19	Clara E. Rich	74	6	13	Columbia	F	M	Columbia	Errol	William Russ	Alma E. Cone
" 21	Frances C. Wallace	76	11	27	Cambridge, Eng.	F	M	Cambridge, Eng.	Cambridge, Eng.	Albert Chapman	Frances Chapman
Feb. 17	Francis L. Smith	17	10	21	Brookline, Mass.	M	S	Brookline, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	Francis L. Smith	Sarah Doherty
Mar. 16	Ezra B. Pike	83	4	12	Burke, N. Y.	M	M	Isle La Motte, Vt.	Sutton, Quebec	George L. Pike	Nancy Cook
Apr. 1	Henry B. Thomas	86	6	3	Hinsdale	M	S	Hinsdale	Hinsdale	Jones B. Thomas	Lucretia A. Elmore
" 2	Lawrence Butler	68	4	7	Chesterfield	M	M	Chesterfield	New York	John Butler	Sarah Webb
" 4	Anna Deyo	76	0	22	Berthier, P. Q.	F	W	Canada	Canada	Augustin Boucher	Marie Beaudoin
" 17	Charles A. O'Clair	90	10	20	P. Q. Canada	M	W	P. Q. Canada	P. Q. Canada	Frank O'Clair	Olive
May 2	Walter L. Todd	77	5	6	Hinsdale	M	W	Hinsdale	Chesterfield	Walter C. Todd	Mary Spaulding
" 8	Elizabeth Kilhart	58	0	3	N. Walpole	F	S	Canada	Canada	Louis Kilhart	Rosalie Boucher
" 24	Rose F. Holland	83	2	26	N. Hartland, Vt.	F	W	Stowe, Vt.	Woodstock, Vt.	Daniel F. Ferrin	Lois P. Washburne
June 3	Bertha E. Dickerman	64	1	28	Dover, Vt.	F	W	Fitzwilliam	Chicopee, Mass.	Willie Stauffers	Rosie Packard
" 9	Leslie F. Stanciliff	46	9	14	Bernardston, Mass.	M	M	Marlboro, Vt.	Vernon, Vt.	Millard Stanciliff	Phoebe Johnson
July 1	Thomas Cushing	50	5	22	Franklin	M	S	Cerb, Ireland	Dunghaven, Ireland	David Cushing	Mary Connors
" 7	Emma S. Henderson	45	7	18	Surry England	F	M	England	England	Austin Dickerman	Mary Chamberlain
" 16	Charles F. Dickerman	78	0	21	Stockbridge, Vt.	M	M	Three Riv., Can.	Bethel, Vt.	Vincentius Oanajca	Catharyma Oanajca
Sept. 1	Agnes Bieniek	64	6	29	Poland	F	M	Lanki, Poland	Lanki, Poland	William Lamb	Delina Lamb
" 8	John M. Lamb	81	8	19	Northboro, Mass.	M	M	Randolph, Vt.	Hardwick, Mass.	Edward Bruce	Gertrude Stevens
" 30	Elizabeth Bruce	53	6	5	Randolph, Vt.	F	W	Winchester	Brattleboro, Vt.	Sidney M. Morse	Ann E. French
Oct. 2	Jeannette Davis	82	8	23	Winchester	F	W	Winchester	Chesterfield, Mass.	Luis H. Williams	Jane Torrey
" 21	Frank L. Williams	70	10	21	Westhampton, Mass.	M	M	Chesterfield, Ms.	Vermont	Herman White	Jennie Fuller
Nov. 4	Lucious A. White	73	11	10	Cavendish, Vt.	M	M	Vermont	Keene	Christopher A. Mason	Harriett E. Baker
" 9	Bessie Butler	74	5	8	Hinsdale	F	W	Surry			

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HINSDALE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1944

BODIES BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S, M, W.	Father.	Mother.		
1938											
July 14	Nelson O. Maynard	71	4	0		M					
1944											
Jan. 3	Napoleon Belleville	83				M					
" 11	Harry L. Bruce	56	4	10		M					
Feb. 4	Daniel Cantlin	75				M					
Mar. 12	Octave Beliveau	79				M					
Apr. 12	Edwin D. Jeffords	84				M					
May 10	Birdie R. Craven	75	1	13		F					
" 18	Estella E. Hubbard	95	8	16		F					
June 20	Mary C. Maynard	67	1	29	Colrain	F		Colrain, Mass.		John ———	Nancy E. Miller
Aug. 17	Harry M. Elmore	63	3	21		M					
Oct. 15	Kate G. Rogers	88	7	13		F					
Dec. 4	John F. Perham	77	7	24		M					
" 5	James Thompson	87	7	4		M					
" 21	Nellie M. Cun'ingham	70	8	2		F					

\*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELEANOR S. SMITH,  
Town Clerk.



## **ANOTHER ENEMY TO CONQUER**

Here is a home front fight that everyone can get into. Last year in this State 558 brush and forest fires burned over 4,648 acres of land, of which 2,788 acres were valuable timber and young growth. With available manpower the lowest of any year since the war started, you can help to keep this loss down by preventing these fires from starting.

Keep in mind these simple rules:

1. Always get a permit from your forest fire warden before starting any fires in the open. Burning under certain conditions is permitted.
2. Never burn unless you have enough help to control your fire—a permit does not excuse you of negligence in case it gets away.
3. Always report any uncontrolled fire promptly to your forest fire warden. Minutes lost are acres lost.
4. Be especially careful with cigarettes, matches and pipes. Smokers caused most of our fires.
5. Never leave a fire unless it is dead out. You can't feel safe while there is a spark left.

## **KEEP NEW HAMPSHIRE GREEN**